

200 MINERS ARE ENTOMBED

Confesses To Killing Wife And Her Mother

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According to the alleged confession Teske quarreled with his wife and mother at their home in Franklin over money matters and he declared they attacked him with a lot and a knife. He said he over-powered them and then stabbed his wife and cut Mrs. Adams' throat. He dragged their bodies to the cellar.

Sunday morning, the confession continues, he took his three small children and was driven to Boston in an automobile by Charles A. Clarke, of Franklin. He left the children at his mother's home and returned home Sunday night, he said. He went to the cellar, dismembered the two bodies with a knife and put them in wooden boxes, nailing the covers down. Teske told the police that on Monday morning he arranged with Clarke to drive him to Boston again. They started late in the day with the two boxes in the car. Last night Clarke told the police, he became suspicious as to the contents of the boxes. On a pretext he stopped the car and notified a policeman who said he would report the matter, but did not appear to think it necessary to take immediate action.

Clarke said he then decided to drive on. Late at night the two men reached West Medford. Finding a bridge closed they stopped. Clarke said that Teske carried the boxes into a field. While he was doing this Clarke put his finger into a hole in one of the boxes and thought he felt flesh. He ran down the street and told his story to the first policeman he met.

Early today a policeman saw a man running down street, evidently intending to board a trolley car. He ran after him, placed him under arrest and took him to the police station. There the man admitted that he was Teske. His alleged confession was made in the presence of the chief of police.

Hamilton, Ohio, Man Held In Germany

BERGHAUSEN, BADEN, August 14 (By the Associated Press).—Calvin Griffith, of Hamilton, Ohio, held Eugene Victor Nielson, of Chicago, the two Americans arrested in connection with last Saturday's attack on Grover Cleveland Bergdall, the American draft evader, were taken from Bergdall today and transferred to the jail at Mosbach.

Griffith claims to be in the employ of the American Graves Registration Service and says he was searching for the bodies of Americans buried in the region.

The police claim to have found a sample of ether on the person of Karl Schmidt, whom Bergdall shot and killed during the attempt to kidnap him, and that a further supply was concealed in the American automobile which was seized.

AD ADOPTIONS TO CAPTURE BERGDOLL

HAMILTON, OHIO, August 14.—Friends of Corliss Hoover Griffith, participant in the Military Intelligence Department, United States Army Reserve Corps, today reported that he was in Paris.

Close friends of Griffith, son of a prominent manufacturer here, said he was in Paris.

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LAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

SOME FOLKS GOES THU LIFE IN SECH A HURRY YOU CAN'T NEVUH TELL EF DE REASON FUH IT IS IN FRONT UV 'EM ER BEHIME 'EM!!



STORM-CENTERS IN THE GERMAN CRISIS



EX-CHANCELLOR CUNO



GERMAN REICHWEHR ON THE MARCH. THESE TROOPS ARE USED TO REPEL ATTACKS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT BY COMMUNISTS AND OTHER DISTURBERS.



CHANCELLOR STRESEMANN



PRESIDENT EBERT

Mob Rioting Spreads In Germany

BERLIN, August 14.—With late reports indicating an increase in the mob disturbances through Germany, Chancellor Stresemann and his Government faced another anxious day this morning.

During the night came rumors that 20 persons had been killed in Hanover and 30 in Zeitz, Saxony. Rioting also was said to be in progress in Niesse, Silesia.

The city of Hamburg, by proclamation of the Senate, was virtually under martial law as a result of the serious clash yesterday between the strikers and the police.

So far the disturbances in Berlin have been of a minor nature, and the police have been called into service only to stop plundering and to prevent Communist agitators from persuading loyal workers to leave their places of employment. However, there is noticeably a growing dissatisfaction with food prices and the shortage of staples.

President Ebert has sent a message to Wilhelm Cuno, warmly thanking him for his services to the country.

FRENCH TO REJECT BRITISH SUGGESTION

PARIS, August 14.—Premier Poincaré, who will return to Paris tonight, has informed his collaborators at the foreign office that he intends "in the most courteous manner possible" to reply point by point to the note of Lord Curzon, British secretary for foreign affairs on the reparations question. Although the reply will be courteous it is asserted in foreign official circles that it will be a stout re-affirmation of the French viewpoint and a flat rejection of the British suggestion.

Big Cut In Gasoline Prices In Many States

DONAHUE TO TAKE ACTION COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 14.—Governor Donahue announced this morning that he would hold a conference late today with Fred Caley, of Cleveland, and Charles C. James, of Columbus, President and Secretary of the Ohio State Automobile Association to discuss gasoline prices with a possible view to obtaining lower retail prices in Ohio.

CHICAGO, August 14.—Reductions in gasoline prices, begun when Governor W. H. McMaster, of South Dakota, ordered state highway supply depots to sell gasoline at 16 cents a gallon, assumed a national aspect today when price cuts announced by the Standard Oil Companies of Indiana and Kentucky and independent producers became effective in mid-Western and Southern States.

Announcement of Federal investigation of gasoline prices and general oil conditions and also of further curtailment of production also are in prospect.

In Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Kansas, Missouri and parts of Oklahoma, the cut made by the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, is six and six-tenths cents and that of independents in the same territory five cents. Retail prices in Kentucky, Florida, Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia are reduced one cent by the Standard Oil Company of Kentucky. Gasoline dealers in Nebraska announce a cut of 6-14 cents, while the Magnolia Company has reduced the price in Ft. Worth, Texas, two cents, making a price of 11 cents a gallon.

At Willard, north of Ogden, the body of a woman had been recovered from flood debris and search is being made for two men missing.

Quarantine Against Corn Borer COLUMBUS, OHIO.—Quarantine against corn borer in 10 Northern counties established by State Board of Agriculture. The quarantine prevents moving of corn, broomcorn, sorghum and Sudan grass from the districts involved.

Coolidge Doing Much Thinking--No Talking

By ROBT. T. SMALL
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WASHINGTON, August 13.—Calvin Coolidge moved into the Executive offices of the White House on the thirteenth, but he fears no "hoodoo." He has never fed upon superstition. He believes in destiny and destiny has no dread of the supernatural. It works its way by the inexorable laws of fate.

Taking his place at the Presidential desk today, Mr. Coolidge still gave no inkling as to when he would have a statement for the American people other than the brief announcement made the morning he took oath of office at his father's farm.

The "inaugural address" of the new administration is undoubtedly keenly awaited, not only in this country but throughout the world. No President has kindled the interest of the people as has Calvin Coolidge because the people have not known the President.

Held for Giving Short Measure CLEVELAND.—Five gasoline station attendants arrested and charged with giving short measure to motorists.

Killing Due to Jealousy TOLDO.—William Fritz, 27, shot and killed while sitting in an automobile with a girl near the outskirts of the city by two men. Jealousy is given as the cause of the shooting.

Situation In Europe Incredible; America Has Chance To Avert War

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
(Copyright 1923)

(David Lawrence, who arrived from Europe today, says the situation in Europe is almost as incredible as it was in August, 1914.)

With genuine misgivings, might one ask: Have the nations of Europe gone crazy again? Are they determined to begin a new year of organized murder and challenge again the capacity of the white man to develop a Christian civilization?

For the facts of Europe are sorrowful and pitiable. Seeing first hand the plight of Europe is the only way really to grasp what a danger one situation for all the world is being bred there. Americans returning from the continent utter prayers of thanks that the United States is three thousand miles away and some of them come back confirmed in their beliefs that America ought not to get itself mixed up in the quarrels or troubles of Europe. Scores of senators and members of the house, business men and casual observers feel that way about it. Never has Europe been so thoroughly "studied" as this summer by the thousands of tourists and political pilgrims.

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"Baby Mine"

POP CLAIMS HIS WORD IS LAW AT HOME BUT HE HAS MORE TROUBLE ENFORCING IT THAN THEY DO THE PROHIBITION LAW



Not Much Hope For Rescue Of Men

KEMMERER, Wyoming, Aug. 14.—Two hundred miners in number 1 mine of the Kemmerer Coal company were entombed this morning following an explosion.

The explosion occurred in the lower levels. A cave-in at entry number 15 cut off all communication with men who were working about the twenty-sixth and twenty-eighth entry.

Up to noon one body had been recovered.

Relief workers immediately went to work. As they progressed to the 17th entry the body of a pump man was found.

Black clouds of smoke from the mine fan were the only indications of an explosion at first. No information was heard above ground as the explosion was estimated to have taken place nearly a mile underground.

Nothing definite concerning the condition of the entombed men has come from the depths of the mine, but experts in mine rescue work say they saw little hope of rescuing the men alive.

A United States mine rescue car, which left Kemmerer this morning for Utah fields nearby, was hastily ordered returned.

As the volunteer workers dug frantically toward the entombed men through the main entrance of the property, hundreds of women and children, relatives of the miners, waited at the mouth of the mine for word from within.

The property is known as the Frontier mine. It is located about one mile from the city limits of Kemmerer. At 1:30 o'clock this afternoon rescuers were said to be making good progress toward the entombed men, but it is believed it will take several hours before they can approach close enough to determine the condition of the men.

A runaway trip car, which plunged from the rails, caused a dust explosion, according to word received from the mine.

The explosion, according to mine officials, was the first serious accident of its kind in this district in 18 years. At that time 25 men lost their lives in an explosion at Diamondville near here.

Donahue Acts In Lima Street Car Strike

COLUMBUS, O., August 14.—In an effort to settle the Lima street car strike, Governor Donahue today sent Otto W. Bruch, mediator for the State Industrial Commission to Lima.

LIMA, O., August 14.—Operation of busses by the Lima Street Railway Company and by various factories has been started to relieve the situation caused by the strike of the carmen.

Busses have been imported by the city company from Toledo and are being operated on the contract plan. They are not to be used as strike-breakers but as a service to the public until new operators for the one-man street cars can be trained. D. J. Cable, president, announced.

Strikers have appealed to the city commission to telegraph Thomas North, Philadelphia, owner of the lines, to come to this city and personally treat with them. They believe he will consent to this recognition of the union and agree to wage increases.

Quiet prevailed on this, the third day of the strike. Little discomfort is being seen as all owners of automobiles are co-operating and hauling passengers free of charge along the principal streets. This act is under the direction of the Lima Automobile Club.

A motor bus was wrecked out of the strike today. The street car company put motor buses on the streets and charged seven cents in an effort to break the strike. Union workers retaliated by ordering 15 busses, which they intend to place in operation at a five-cent fare.

Bride Placed Behind Unromantic Bars

CLEVELAND, OHIO, July 14 (By United Press).—Mrs. Catherine Clayton Paul, 18, is the first Ohio girl to be arrested under the new woman's rights law, providing women must have their parents' consent to marry before they are 21 years old. She was put behind the unromantic bars of Central Police Station on the third day of her honeymoon on a warrant sworn out by her father. It charged her with perjury in securing her marriage license.

Bars Go Up At Studios

LOS ANGELES, CALIF., August 14.—Motion picture studios of Southern California will be closed to all tourists, salesmen, editors and friends of actors after tomorrow. This decision has just been reached at a meeting of the Motion Picture Producers Association and notices of the new ruling have been posted at the larger studios.

The reason is said to have been the receipt of information that a San Francisco woman recently was warning every courtesy, photographing with various stars, and is now on a lecture tour, telling of the "vice and depravity" she found.

State Banks Merge

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO, August 14.—A \$10,000,000 merger of state banks became known here today with the announcement that the City Savings and Trust Company, of Youngstown, with resources of \$8,500,000, had acquired the Peoples' Savings and Trust Company, of East Youngstown, with resources of \$1,500,000. The Peoples' Bank will be operated as a branch of the City Bank.

Defendant Collapses

FREDERICK, MD., August 14.—R. Erard Kepner, on trial for the murder of his wife, Grace Simmons Kepner, last June 18, was to resume his testimony before the judges of the Frederick County Circuit Court this morning.

Although he was the only witness heard yesterday, having been on the stand five and a half hours, his testimony was not completed. Kepner collapsed at the conclusion of yesterday's session, but was said to have recovered sufficiently today to resume his story.

Theatrical-Movie Insurance Corporation

NEW YORK, August 14.—An insurance corporation for the benefit of the theatrical, vaudeville and motion picture industries soon will be organized, it was learned today.

The object of the corporation will be to cut present premiums on marine, liability, fire, casualty, workmen's compensation, burglary, theft and other types of insurance needed in the theatrical world.

Among those said to be interested in the new corporation are: A. L. Erlanger, E. Albee, John Ringling, Marcus Loew, Sam H. Harris, William Fox, A. H. Woods, Walter Vincent, Adolph Zukor and the Simsbros.

Ohio's First Woman Mayor To Resign

FAIRPORT, OHIO, August 14 (By United Press).—Dr. Amy Kaukonen, Mayor, of Fairport, will resign at City Council meeting tonight to accept a position in Seattle, Wash. She is Ohio's first woman Mayor. She was elected two years ago on a dry-law enforcement platform.

Women Wear Men's Trousers

LOS ANGELES, August 14 (By the United Press).—Men's trousers were the latest trick of fashion adopted by the women of Southern California today. Plain pants, minus the frills, and masculine in every detail, were worn by groups of girls in several cities, following inauguration of the fad at Avalon, Catalina Islands. Haberdashers reported large sales of trousers to women. They just step in and buy pants. Most of the girls favor the light gray shade, with prominent stripes, according to the men's furnishees. They prefer cuffs to bell bottoms, it was stated.

"Well, why not? Avalon's Police Chief demanded, when group of reformers protested, 'I suppose they're comfortable. Why not?'"

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

Now that the public's got just the kind of weather they've been demanding for a primary they'll have it die up here or there for the scarcity of vote. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat warmer tonight. Cooler in extreme north portion Wednesday.

KENTUCKY—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; not quite so warm in west portion Wednesday.

The extremes in the local temperature today were: High 82, Low 43.

The Portsmouth Daily Times

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A MODERN LAW REPEALER

W are in nowise particularly enamored of Senator Moses, but he did perpetrate something, the other day, that increased our admiration for him a thousand fold. Speaking of the election of 'Diagnus Johnson, in Minnesota, he said it came about as an exhibition of the spirit of those people who feel everything can be done by law.

That means that Moses doesn't approve of "that spirit", which is good sense—we mean the non-approval—and in it lurks a dawning sense of statesmanship. It is most nicely put too. It is just a spirit of a feeling. The people are impatient, they are not thinking, they are just expressing their feelings.

There was a Moses, whose name has come echoing down the ages as the wisest lawgiver that ever lived; there is another Moses, hailing somewhere from the vineyard of New Hampshire, who might send his name resounding down the corridors of time, if he would but show himself the great law repealer. For neither the farmer, nor anybody else needs any new laws to boost him along. His dire need is for the removal of a large surplus of legislative impedimenta that clog his way.

THE SHINING STARS

IT is pleasant to read that Austria and Czechoslovakia are two countries that are not only recovering but have actually recovered from the general demoralization and poverty that spread over Europe with the close of the war.

Their recovery, however, has come about in entirely different ways. Austria was disrupted and prostrated worse than any other nation. The third, possibly, the second, largest country in Europe, nothing but a fragment of her original self was left when her dismemberment was made on the writing of a new map of the continent. Indeed, so little of her was left and such was the smallness of that little country together with her dire distress that any sort of re-construction seemed scarce within the range of possibility. Yet Austria was fortunate in choosing a chancellor, an official who handles all the financial affairs of the government. Very oddly this chancellor is a priest and of him it may be well said he is as gentle as a dove and wise as a serpent. He lost no time in repining, but he went hard to work and, assumably, redoubled his prayers, beginning by unequivocally accepting the verdict of arms. Soon his sincerity, straightforwardness and ability attracted the attention of foreign financiers. Therefore when he appealed to them for help he at least had the advantage of sympathetic ears. After his plans had been examined English and American bankers loaned him all the money he thought he required and when he got it he rebuilt Austria almost overnight.

The situation of Czechoslovakia was not so hard. Carved out of Austria, she had no debts to pay, except for money borrowed of the United States government. She chose well in her president. His one idea was to go to work and live within income. He put it in effect with the state. The result is that the monetary situation of the country is sound and after the may of the government, the people are industrious and prudent. Arrangements have already been made to provide for the payment of the debt to America. The country is thriving and peaceful and the only obstacle to still greater prosperity is found to be in the tariff, one of the first acts of the new republic being to enact a protective tariff. It has had an effect directly opposite of that which was expected and it is to be repealed, or radically modified.

Re-Elected By K. Of C.



These officers of the Knights of Columbus were re-elected at the Forty-first Supreme International Convention at Montreal, Can. Left to right: D. J. Callahan, treasurer; Luke Hart, advocate; Martin H. Canady, deputy supreme knight; J. A. Flaherty, supreme knight; W. J. McGinley, secretary.

New York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. MCINTYRE.

NEW YORK, August 13—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys: Up bedtimes, and harassed by clatter of steam riveters across the way. So with Jack Baragwanath, Nedra McMein's new husband, to see W. Emmertich and much rag-tag and bobtail.

To my barber to be trimmed and in the chair next to me sat Frank Munsey, the publisher, and I was tempted to relate a jape I heard about his purchase of newspapers, but he appeared far too grave.

Took lunch with Walter Kingsley, the publisher, and he gave a knowing discourse on literature and much beyond my grasp, but I feigned understanding and ate salted nuts to my fill.

In the evening to dinner with Raymond Carroll, the pamphleteer, and then with him in a bungalow buggy to Coney Island and rode about on various thrillers and brave fun too. Home late and so to bed.

Nedra McMein's husband, John Baragwanath, by the way, has a name very few are able to remember or pronounce at a casual introduction. Baragwanath tells of calling up a down-town business man. His secretary answered the phone. "What is the name," she asked. "Baragwanath," was the reply. "I did not catch it," so he repeated. "Baragwanath." She turned from the phone to her employer and said: "I can't make out this gentleman's name. It sounds as if it were Baragwanath."

The Tenth Street market offers unusual types. There is Old Olga, now past 80, who has been selling pickles and chow chow for 40 years. She is at her post each morning at six. A few steps away is Solomon, the Horse Radish Man. He is a dried up little fellow who wears black goggles to keep his eyes from smarting as he grinds horse radish. His face is as brown and shriveled as a November leaf. He has a moth eaten fringe of scraggy hair and beard. He sits on a high stool, bumped over like some medieval stichonist, reading his Talmud.

Financed by John Blingling, the circus man, the largest indoor arena in the world is going up on the site of the old ramshackle car barns at Seventh Avenue and Fifth Street. The plans call for a seating capacity of 25,216. This means the passing of Madison Square Garden as the scene of prize fights, circuses and horse shows.

The sudden hush on Fifth Avenue when the bronze traffic light blink their fading red stop signal is mystifying to the visitor. In a twinkling life racing along like a mill stream, becomes inert. There is

the quiet of the graveyard. People who have been lifting their voices above the roar quit talking. Even the pace of the pedestrians slackens. Just as quickly the hurly-burly begins when the signal comes to move again.

I have a friend who stepped out of a subway exit and bought a newspaper. Glancing at the first page he saw a headline which told of the death of his wife in an elevated train accident. He staggered to the curb and sagged in a dead faint in the gutter. When revived in an ambulance he discovered his watch, wallet and valuable stickpin had been removed by "good Samaritans" who rushed to his aid.

On an upper Broadway movie house is sign reading: "You Can't Fool Your Wife With Nita Naldi and Leatrice Joy." and under it some prankish joker has written: "But, O My!" (Copyright 1923, By The McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

Doc Kokos' KOLUM

A PERFECT WAY

When you come to the end of a good detour.

And you sit and look at the sign. And the arrows point in another way.

To the road you left behind; Oh this is the end of a "perfect day." And the end of your patience, too. As you voice your thoughts in a quiet way. And the air around gets blue.

—Illinois Motorist.

Good-night Message

The patter of tiny feet was heard from the head of the stairs. Mrs. Kinderby raised her hand, warning the members of her bridge club to be silent.

"Hush!" she said softly. "The children are going to deliver their goodnight message. It always gives me a feeling of reverence to hear them. Listen!"

There was a moment of tense silence, then "Mamma" came the message in a shrill whisper. "Willie found a bedbug."—Ithaca Journal-News.

Greenlieke.

Gen. Arlunhot B. Garrett said at a Los Angeles luncheon:

"The way the Greeks ran away from the Turks reminds me of Wash. Wash, you know, ran away from the Heinekes' bullets so fast one day that he caught up with them only a few minutes after they had passed him by."

"Another day while Wash was withdrawing in this manner his colonel held him up."

"Washington," the colonel shouted, "are you running away?"

"No, kumel, ah sunny ain't," parried Wash, "but ah's jest passed a heap o' niggahs what is."

Except At Night

A baby's presence in a home will always bring delight. Except, of course, when it is cross. And keeps you up all night.

True Love

He—"Oh, Pecky, I shall be so miserable all the while I'm away from you."

She—"Oh, darling, if I could be sure of it it would make me so happy!"—London Mail.

Doubting Up

"Willie," asked the teacher, "what is the plural of men?"

"Men," answered the small pupil. "And the plural of child?"

"Twins," was the prompt reply.—Central Washington Star.

Getting Him Placed

"What kind of a fellow is Watson?" asked Black.

"Well," replied White, "he's the kind of fellow who skates on thin ice, rocks the boat, rears a train to the crossing and looks to see how much gas there is in the tank with a lighted match. Nobody knows why he has been able to live as long as he has."

Fast Traveler

We like a story that was very popular with the Army in France. It is the tale of a negro who was beating it for the back areas as fast as he could go, when he was stopped by a white officer.

"Don't delay me, sah," said the negro. "I's gotta be on my way."

"Boy," replied the officer, "do you know who I am? I'm a general."

"Go on, white man, you ain't no general."

"I certainly am," insisted the officer angrily.

"Lordy!" exclaimed the negro, taking a second look. "You sure is! I musta been travelin' some, 'cause I didn't think I'd got back that far yet!"—Ottawa Evening Citizen.

Told Her the Same Thing

Bobbie—Diddy, tell you that you were the first girl he ever loved? Sis—Yes, why?

Bobbie—Then he lied to a girl at the Sunday School picnic today.

Almost Persuaded.

Lawyer—"Now that he have won, will you tell me confidentially if you stole the money?"

Client—"Well, after hearing you talk in court yesterday, I am beginning to think I didn't."—Melbourne Punch.

Lord Help the Widest

Two hunters in the North Carolina woods had chased a wildcat to a clearing and were terrified to see the beast jump into a window of a cabin from which the sound of a woman's voice had just been heard. On the porch, rocking comfortably and apparently unperturbed, sat Friend Husband.

"For heaven's sake, is your wife in there?" screamed one of the hunters.

"Teah."

"Good Lord, man, get busy! A wildcat just jumped in the window!"

"Teah. Well, let him sit out the best way he can. I got no use for the pesky critters and damned if I'm goin' to help him."—American Legion Weekly.

Girls Like It Flatter.

When talking with most pretty girls. We're told that it's no matter how flat your conversation is.

They like to have it flatter.

Much Improved.

Mrs. Albert Kirberger of New Boston who had been a patient in Mercy hospital for the past week was removed to her home Sunday evening. Her condition is much improved.

Back On Job

G. M. Freeman resumed his work today for the Summer Electric Co. after spending a week in Pittsburgh where he attended the Coffield sash-making school.

Here For Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Wade S. Kennedy, of Columbus, former residents of Portsmouth, were here to attend the funeral of the late W. Grant Williams which was held today. They are the guests of Mrs. E. N. Patterson, of 827 Second street.

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

A Vacation Litany

BY BERTON BRALEY

(The Feminine View)

FROM places which are miles From anywhere at all.

Where there aren't any styles And no one comes to call.

From shocks far too small And bunks devoid of ease.

From all the "wildwood's" thrall, Good Lord, excuse us, please!

FROM tramping over bogs Before the dawn is gray;

From choruses of frogs And katydids at day;

From leeches, night and day, Those endless histories!

Of fish that got away, Good Lord, excuse me, please!

FROM camping stores that smoke And make us wipe our eyes,

From phonographs which croak Old records we despise;

From whiskies which disguise Men's physiognomies.

Yet which they seem to prize, Good Lord, excuse us, please!

FROM food forever fried.

From ants, mosquitoes, fleas, From spots men view with pride,

Good Lord, excuse us, please. (Copyright, 1912, NEA Service, Inc.)

WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND — BY BRIGGS



BACK FROM THE SUMMER CAMP

THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



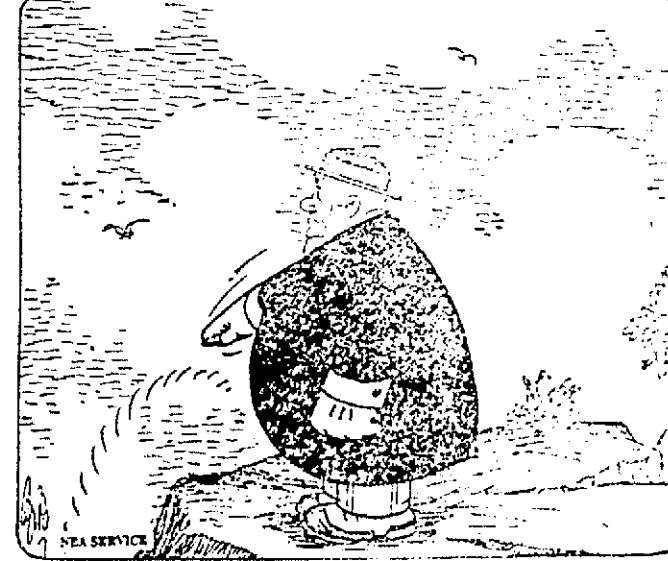
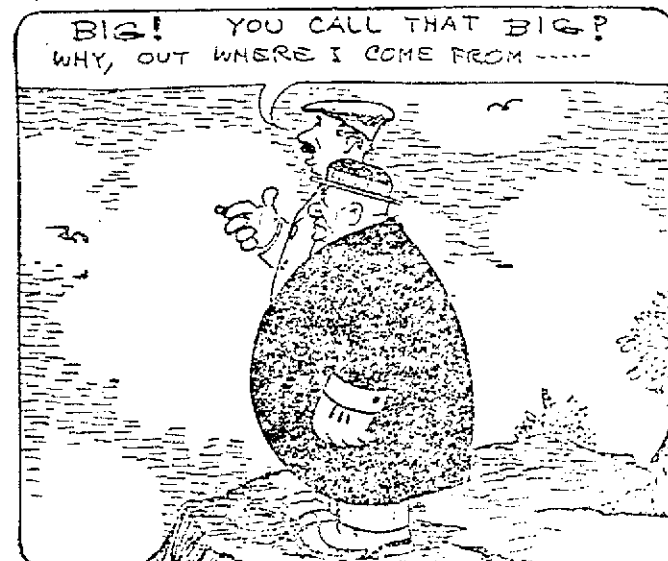
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Barney and Sparky Understand Each Other Perfectly.

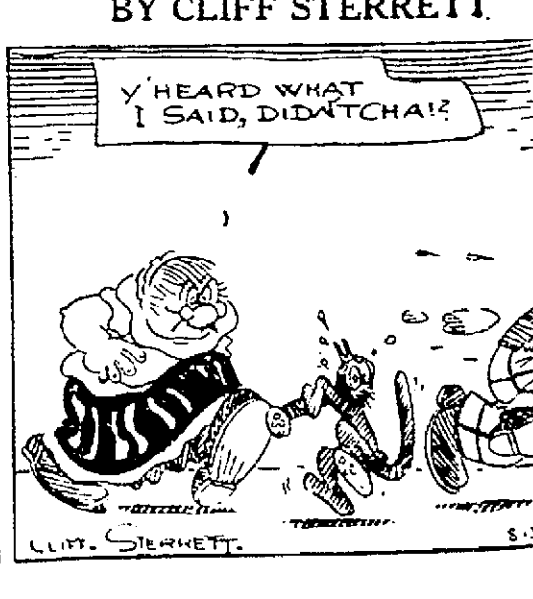
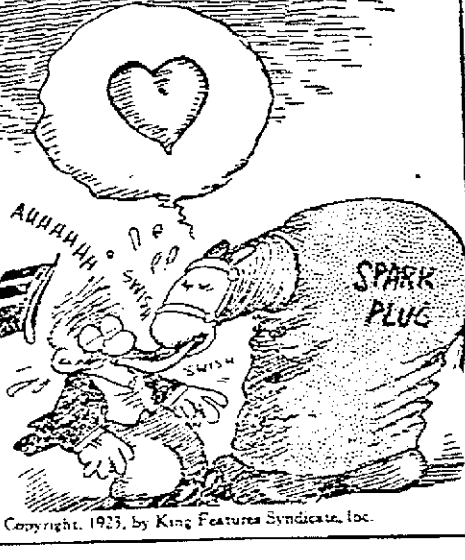
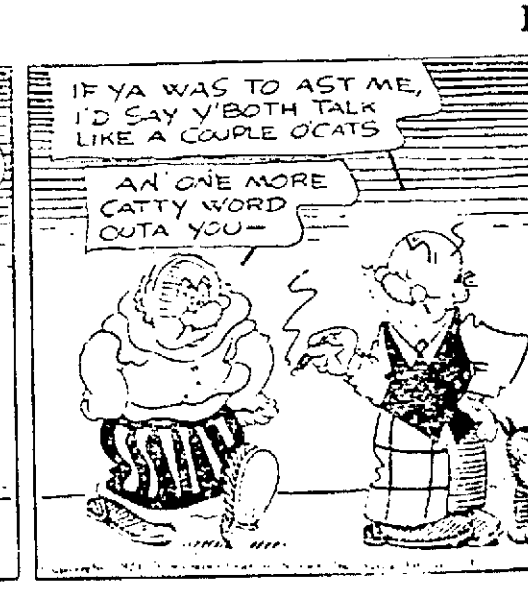
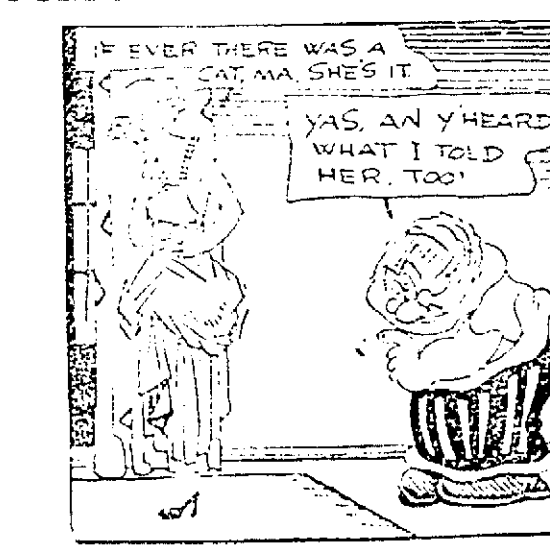
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POLLY AND HER PALS



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According to the alleged confession Teskos quarreled with his wife and her mother at their home in Franklin over money matters and he declared they attacked him with a bat and a knife. He said he over-powered them and then stabbed his wife and cut Mrs. Adams' throat. He dragged their bodies to the cellar.

Sunday morning, the confession continues, he took his three small children and was driven to Boston in an automobile by Charles A. Clarke, of Franklin. He left the children at his mother's home and returned home. Sunday night, he said he went to the cellar, dismembered the two bodies with a knife and put them in wooden boxes, nailing the covers down. Teskos told the police that on Monday morning he arranged with Clarke to drive him to Boston again. They started late in the day with the two boxes in the car. Last night Clarke told the police, he became suspicious as to the contents of the boxes. On a pretext he stopped the car and would not let a policeman who said he would report the matter, but did not appear to think it necessary to take immediate action.

Clarke said he then decided to drive on. Late at night the two men reached West Medford. Finding a house closed they stopped. Clarke said that Teskos carried the boxes into a field. While he was doing this Clarke put his finger into a hole in one of the boxes and thought he felt a foot. He ran down the street and told his story to the first policeman he met.

Early today a policeman saw a man running down street, evidently intending to board a trolley car. He ran after him, placed him under arrest and took him to the police station. There the man admitted that he was Teskos. His alleged confession was made in the presence of the chief of police.

STORM-CENTERS IN THE GERMAN CRISIS



EX-CHANCELLOR CUNO



GERMAN REICHSWEHR ON THE MARCH. THESE TROOPS ARE USED TO REPEL ATTACKS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT BY COMMUNISTS AND OTHER DISTURBERS.



CHANCELLOR BRESEMAN



PRESIDENT EBERT

Not Much Hope For Rescue Of Men

KEMMERER, Wyoming, Aug. 14.—Two hundred miners in number 1 mine of the Kemmerer Coal company were entombed this morning following an explosion.

The explosion occurred in the lower levels. A cave-in at entry number 15 cut off all communication with men who were working on the twenty-sixth and twenty-eighth entry.

Up to noon one body had been recovered.

Relief workers immediately went to work. As they progressed to the 17th entry the body of a pump man was found.

Black clouds of smoke from the mine fan were the only indications of an explosion at first. No information was heard above ground as the explosion was estimated to have taken place nearly a mile underground.

Nothing definite concerning the condition of the entombed men has come from the depths of the mine, but experts in mine rescue work say they have little hope of rescuing the men alive.

A United States mine rescue car, which left Kemmerer this morning for Utah fields nearby, was hastily ordered returned.

As the volunteer workers dug frantically toward the entombed men (from) the main entrance of the property, hundreds of women and children relatives of the miners waited at the mouth of the mine for word from within.

The property is known as the Frontier mine. It is located about one mile from the city limits of Kemmerer. At 1:30 o'clock this afternoon rescuers were said to be making good progress toward the entombed men, but it is believed it will take several hours before they can approach close enough to determine the condition of the men.

A runaway trip car, which plunged from the rails, caused a great explosion, according to word received near here.

Mob Rioting Spreads In Germany

BERLIN, August 14.—With late reports indicating an increase in the mob disturbances through Germany, Chancellor Stresemann and his Government faced another anxious day this morning.

During the night came rumors that 20 persons had been killed in Hanover and 30 in Zeitz, Saxony. Rioting also was said to be in progress in Niesse, Silesia.

The city of Hamburg, by proclamation of the Senate, is virtually under martial law as a result of the serious clashes there yesterday between strikers and the police.

So far the disturbances in Berlin have been of a minor nature, and the police have been called into service only to stop plundering and to prevent Communist agitators from persuading loyal workers to leave their places of employment. However, there is noticeably a growing dissatisfaction with food prices and the shortage of staples.

President Ebert has sent a message to Wilhelm Cuno, warmly thanking him for his services to the country.

FRENCH TO REJECT BRITISH SUGGESTION

PARIS, August 14.—Premier Poincaré, who will return to Paris tonight, has informed his collaborators for foreign affairs on the reparations question. Although the reply will be "in the most courteous manner possible" to reply point by point to the note of Lord Curzon, British secretary for foreign affairs on the reparations question. Although the reply will be "in the most courteous manner possible" to reply point by point to the note of Lord Curzon, British secretary for foreign affairs on the reparations question.

Bride Placed Behind Unromantic Bars

CLEVELAND, OHIO, July 14 (By United Press).—Mrs. Catherine Clayton Paul, 18, is the first Ohio girl to be arrested under the new woman's rights law, providing women must have their parents' consent to marry before they are 21 years old. She was put behind the unromantic bars of Central Police Station on the third day of her honeymoon on a warrant sworn out by her father. It charged her with perjury in securing her marriage license.

Donahay Acts In Lima Street Car Strike

COLUMBUS, O., August 13.—In an effort to settle the Lima street car strike, Governor Donahay today sent Otto W. Brach, mediator for the State Industrial Commission to Lima.

Veterinarian Held For Doping Horses

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 14 (By United Press).—Mortimer W. Price, Richmond, (Va.) veterinarian, was locked up today to await trial on charge of doping race horses at Beulah Park.

Hamilton, Ohio, Man Held In Germany

FREIBACH, BADEN, August 14 (By the Associated Press).—Calvin Hoover Griffiths, of Hamilton, Ohio, and Eugene Victor Nielson, of Chicago, the two Americans arrested in connection with last Saturday's attack on Grover Cleveland Bergdall, the American draft evader, were taken from Freiburg today and transferred to the jail at Murbach.

Griffiths claims to be the employer of the American Graves Registration Board and says he was searching for the bodies of Americans buried in this vicinity.

The police claim to have found a card of order on the person of Karl Schmidt, whom Bergdall shot and killed during the attempt to kidnap him, and that a further supply was forwarded in the American automobile which was seized.

OUTLINES GENERAL POLICY

BERLIN, August 14.—Dr. Gustave Stresemann, the new German chancellor, outlined in a statement today the condition under which Germany is ready to abandon the passive resistance on the Ruhr.

The conditions are:

The complete restoration to Germany of her right of control over the Ruhr.

Re-establishment of the conditions in the Rhineland envisaged by her under the Versailles Treaty, and

The liberation of every German citizen who has been outraged, evicted or imprisoned.

The statement was made in the course of his inaugural speech to the Reichstag this afternoon. Dr. Stresemann made no mention of evacuation of the occupied areas, merely stressing the condition under which Germany is prepared to enter upon negotiations for the complete restoration of her jurisdiction and the freedom of her citizens there. The new chancellor was cordially treated by the members of the house, the only jeering note in his reception being in the form of boisterous heckling by the communists.

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Big Cut In Gasoline Prices In Many States

CHICAGO, August 14.—Reductions in gasoline prices, begun when Governor W. H. McMaster, of South Dakota, ordered state highway supply depots to sell gasoline at 16 cents a gallon, assumed a national aspect today when price cuts announced by the Standard Oil Companies of Indiana and Kentucky and independent producers became effective in mid-Western and Southern States.

Announcement of Federal investigation of gasoline prices and general oil conditions and also of further curtailment of production also are in prospect.

In Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Kansas, Missouri and parts of Oklahoma, the cut made by the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, is six and six-tenths cents and that of independents in the same territory five cents. Retail prices in Kentucky, Florida, Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia are reduced one cent by the Standard Oil Company of Kentucky. Gasoline dealers in Nebraska announce a cut of 6-1/4 cents, while the Magnolia Company has reduced the price in Ft. Worth, Texas, two cents, making a price of 11 cents a gallon.

Bars Go Up At Studios

LOS ANGELES, CALIF., August 14.—Motion picture studios of Southern California will be closed to all tourists, salesmen, solicitors and friends of actors after tomorrow. This decision has just been reached at a meeting of the Motion Picture Producers Association and notices of the new ruling have been posted at the larger studios.

The reason is said to have been the receipt of information that a San Francisco woman recently was warmly welcomed at the studios, shortly after the shooting of a picture, with every courtesy.

Quiet prevailed on this, the third day of the strike. Little discomfort is being seen as all owners of automobiles are co-operating and hauling pedestrians free of charge along the principal streets. This act is under the direction of the Lima Automobile Club.

A motor bus war grew out of the strike today. The street car company put motor buses on the streets and charged seven cents in an effort to break the strike. Union workers retaliated by ordering 15 buses, which they intend to place in operation at a five-cent fare.

State Banks Merge

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO, August 14.—A \$10,000,000 merger of state banks became known here today with the announcement that the City Savings and Trust Company, of Youngstown, with resources of \$8,500,000, had acquired the Peoples' Savings and Trust Company, of East Youngstown, with resources of \$1,500,000. The Peoples' Bank will be operated as a branch of the City Bank.

Women Wear Men's Trousers

LOS ANGELES, August 14 (By the United Press).—Men's trousers were the latest trick of the fashion adopted by the women of Southern California today. Plain pants, minus the frills, and masculine in every detail, were worn by groups of girls in several cities, following inauguration of the fad at Avalon, Catalina Island. Haberdashers reported large sales of trousers to women. They don't order any attraction. They just step in and buy pants. Most of the girls favor the light gray shade, with prominent stripes, according to the men's furnisiers. They prefer cuts to bell bottoms. It was stated.

"Well, what not? Avalon's Police Chief demanded, when groups of reformers protested. 'I suppose they're comfortable. Why not?'

Situation In Europe Incredible; America Has Chance To Avert War

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
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ous situation for all the world is being bred there. Americans returning from the continent utter prayers of thanks that the United States is three thousand miles away and some of them come back confirmed in their beliefs that America ought not to get itself mixed up in the quarrels or troubles of Europe. Scores of senators and members of the house, business men and casual observers feel that way about it. Never has Europe been so thoroughly "studied" as this summer by the thousands of tourists and political pilgrims.

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Defendant Collapses

FREDERICK, MD., August 14.—B. Erard Keper, on trial for the murder of his wife, Grace Simmons Keper, last June 13, was to resume his testimony before the Judges of the Frederick County Circuit Court this morning.

Although he was the only witness heard yesterday, having been on the stand five and a half hours, his testimony was not completed. Keper collapsed at the conclusion of yesterday's session, but was said to have recovered sufficiently today to resume his story.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

SOME FOLKS GOES THU LIFE IN SECH A HURRY YOU CAINT NEVUH TELL EF DE REASON FUH IT IS IN FRONT UV 'EM ER BEHINE 'EM!!

"Baby Mine"

POP CLAIMS HIS WORD IS LAW AT HOME BUT HE HAS MORE TROUBLE ENFORCING IT THAN THEY DO THE PROHIBITION LAW

12 Perish In Cloudburst

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, August 14.—Twelve lives are believed to have been lost in Northern Utah as a result of serious cloudbursts last night and early today. Property damage is expected to total upwards of \$1,000,000.

Four persons are known to be dead at Farmington, Utah, just north of Salt Lake City; two men and a woman are reported dead at Willard, Utah, and five Boy Scouts are reported drowned in a canyon east of Farmington.

A cloudburst, preceded by a severe electrical storm, tore down telegraph poles and communication was crippled.

Eight bodies of persons killed or drowned as a result of a series of cloudbursts in the vicinity of Salt Lake City and Ogden early last evening had been recovered.

At Farmington, five persons are known to be dead, including three of five boy scouts camped in a canyon back of the city. The scouts were trapped when a wall of water swept down the canyon and a search is being made for the other two youths who are believed to have been drowned.

At Willard, north of Ogden, the body of a woman had been recovered from flood debris and search is being made for two men missing.

Quarantine Against Corn Borer

COLUMBUS, OHIO.—Quarantine against corn borer in 10 Northern counties established by State Board of Agriculture. The quarantine prevents moving of corn, broomcorn, sorghum and Sudan grass from the districts involved.

Not Much Interest Shown In Primary

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 14.—No general questions are being ballotted upon, he said.

Warm fights were evident in some cities, where controversial candidates entered into the selection of candidates, but in the main, according to Mr. Brown, little interest is being shown by the voters.

Theatrical-Movie Insurance Corporation

NEW YORK, August 14.—An insurance corporation to benefit of the theatrical, vaudeville and motion picture industries soon will be organized, it was learned today.

The object of the corporation will be to cut present premiums on marine, liability, fire casualty, workmen's compensation, burglary, theft and other types of insurance needed in the theatrical world.

Among those said to be interested in the new corporation are: A. L. Fanger, E. Allen, John Ringling, Marcus Loew, Sam H. Harris, William Fox, A. H. Woods, Walter Vincent, Adolph Zukor and the Shuberts.

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

Now that the public's got just the kind of weather they've been demanding for a primary they'll have 't dig up some other alibi for the scarcity of vote. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat warmer tonight. Cooler in extreme north portion Wednesday.

KENTUCKY—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; not quite so warm in west portion Wednesday.

The extremes in the local temperature to-day were: High 82, Low 43.

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Dagmar Godowsky, Eleanor Boardman, Claude Gillingwater

Directed by Marshall Neilan
Distributed by Goldwyn

COMING TOMORROW

TOM MIX "3 JUMPS AHEAD"

Ohio River Enjoying Little Boom

Recent rains throughout the valley up the past few days caused the Ohio river to rise sharply over Monday and last night and the stream registered a stage of 20.8 feet in the Portsmouth district this morning.

when the water continued to creep up slowly. Boat movements today: Tom Green down for Cincinnati at noon and Betsy Ann departed at the same hour, on the return trip to Pittsburgh.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Isidore Fussnecker of Columbus, Ala., who is visiting his mother and brothers of this city, preached the sermons at both services at St. Mary's church Sunday morning.

Miss Amelia Goebel, of Marietta, Ohio, is visiting her brother, Rev. T. A. Goebel, pastor of St. Mary's church.

ROTES GOING TO BLUE BIRD INN

Members of the Rotary Club will enjoy dinner at the Blue Bird Inn in Wheelersburg Thursday night. At the conclusion of the business session.

GOVERNOR INVITED TO PRESERVE

Adam Frick, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday sent a letter to Governor Vic Donahey, inviting him to visit the Theodore Roosevelt Game Preserve, when he has the time, as the guest of Game Protector Frank Voorhees.

Mr. Frick suggests in his letter that the Governor bring the Director of Agriculture and associates along and enjoy a social time at the lodge on the big tract with a number of Portsmouth people.

AMERICAN TENNIS PLAYERS WIN

FOREST HILLS, Aug. 14.—American women tennis players, through one of the most decisive victories in sport history, have added an international trophy to the nation's collection.

the foremost players of the east, and Mrs. Wightman, owner of the cup. Seven matches were played. The American players won all of them, losing but two sets in the series.

New School Building

For Manchester

Deross and Donaldson, local architects, have completed plans for a combination high and elementary school building to be erected in Manchester. The building is modern in every detail and will contain eight rooms.

Court House

Big Docket For Grand Jury
The September term of Common Pleas court will start on Monday, September 10, and a grand jury for the new term will be convened a week later by Judge Thomas, it was announced today.

There are already more than fifty cases on the criminal docket for investigation with the prospects good for adding many more to the list before the inquiry starts.

The most important case now on the docket to be tried is that of Robert Turner, negro, charged with second degree murder for shooting to death Charles Johnson, colored, at a house on Eleventh street, recently, following a dispute over a card game.

Wife Sues For Divorce
On the grounds of cruelty, neglect and habitual drunkenness, Luda Allen, 329 Mill street, suing through Attorney F. W. Moulton in Common Pleas court, seeks divorce and custody of their minor children in an action filed Tuesday against Joseph Allen, same address.

In her petition the wife avers they were married in July, 1894, and have eleven children living and one dead. She complains that Allen has failed to support his family properly and alleges that he "drew a revolver and threatened to kill her."

The wife prays for an order from the court to prevent Allen from interfering or molesting her in any way until the case can be heard on its merits.

Couple Make Peace; Suit Dismissed
The parties to the divorce suit of George Barry against Edna Barry having amicably adjusted their differences, an approved entry was filed in the office of the clerk of courts Tuesday dismissing the action.

Stone Gets the Decree
Bert Stone, New Boston steelworker, has been granted a decree by Judge Thomas, divorcing him from Marie Stone, now said to be living somewhere in Kentucky, according to an approved entry filed Tuesday in the office of the clerk of courts.

Mr. Stone was married at Ironton on March 27, 1920, and the decree was granted on the ground of neglect and Stone was awarded the custody of their one minor child, Edwin, 3 years old.

Wife Makes Charge; Seeks Divorce
Eva Rice charges neglect, cruelty and infidelity in her suit for divorce and custody of their three minor children, filed in Common Pleas court Tuesday, against Mose Rice.

In her petition filed through Attorneys Campbell and Higgins the wife avers they were married in September, 1915 and have three children, aged 7, 5 and 3. She alleges that Rice failed to support her and the children and declares that he abandoned them in April, 1920, for the association of other women.

Girl Fined; Made Ward of Court
Celia Eshom, 13 years old, of New Boston, was before the juvenile court Tuesday for misbehavior of the children of Mrs. Kate Covert, also of New Boston, who she admitted, and Judge Gilliland fined the girl \$5 and costs and made her a ward of the court.

Wife Seeks Divorce, Etc.
Alleging cruelty, neglect and infidelity and naming one, Ethel Hurd, as co-respondent, Phoebe Collins, 1208 Front street, seeks divorce and custody of their four minor children in her suit, filed in Common Pleas court Tuesday, against Oliver Collins, now living at Bonanza, Ky., in July, 1922.

In her petition the plaintiff complains that Collins has failed and refused to support her and their children and accuses him of associating with lewd women, declaring that he has even gone so far as to bring his female friends to her home much to her humiliation and embarrassment. The wife sued through Attorney T. C. Reatty.

Marriage License
Ellis Nelson, 22, brickworker, city, and Cathryn Sparks, 21, housekeeper, city, Rev. William Lawhorn.

To Confere Degree Work
At the weekly meeting of Scioto Lodge, No. 31, I. O. O. F. last night, several applications for membership were received and plans made for the conferring of degree work next week.

STORE WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY
A. H. Frankel, of Huntington, W. Va., who with Sol Williams, of Corning, Ky., will soon open the Union Store, on Chillicothe street, souvenirs and special gifts for those who will celebrate the first anniversary attending.

NEW PRINCIPAL AT ST. MARY'S
Rev. T. A. Goebel and sister have returned from a week's stay at Mountain Lake, Pennsylvania. Four of the staff of teachers for St. Mary's school have arrived.

Sister M. Leonard will be the principal in place of Sister M. Florentine who goes to another appointment this year.

New Ohio Traffic Rules Made Plain In Special Articles By The Head Of State Auto Association

A series of four articles has been prepared by Fred H. Caler, president of the Ohio State Automobile Association, interpreting the traffic rules in Ohio, and will be published in The Times. They will be found of vital interest to all automobile drivers, and to pedestrians, as well as to the rights of pedestrians, as the things that each must do to make the highways of the state safe.

The first article follows: (By Fred H. Caler, President Ohio State Automobile Association and Secretary National Motorists' Association.)

By enacting the uniform traffic code, which recently became effective, the state of Ohio placed restrictions upon the actions of every motorist and every pedestrian within its borders.

Contrary to the popular conception, traffic laws do not apply only to the operators of vehicles. A very important part of them regulate the pedestrian's use of the streets and highways. Consequently, a knowledge of the new law is both valuable and essential to every citizen, as well as being extremely important from the standpoint of public safety and community progress.

Without free and convenient and economic movement of traffic, both pedestrian and vehicular, business and social affairs are retarded. Delay is costly; inconvenience is costly. Economy lies in speed and safety.

The new uniform state code, like all laws, this one is couched in legal phraseology. Its provisions, however, may easily be made simple. They fall under four main headings: First, Rules of the Road; second, Right of Way; third, Speed Regulation; fourth, Pedestrian and Pedestrian.

This arrangement will enable the layman to get at the heart of the law. Beginning with rules of the road, the motorist will find that the first rule is, Keep to the Right.

Specifically, the law provides that the drivers of vehicles shall keep to the right:

1. On any public road or highway which is divided longitudinally by a roadway, walk or viaduct.

2. On any circular roadway, the driver shall enter at the right and keep to the right until reaching the exit.

3. On any other road or highway.

4. When meeting another vehicle, the only exceptions to this rule of keep-to-the-right are these: When it is necessary to turn to the left in crossing the road and in overtaking and passing another vehicle.

When passing another vehicle, the law provides that the passing shall be made as close to the right hand side of the road as it is possible to get without endangering the safety of either driver.

How to pass other vehicles, how to turn left and right, how to turn around, how to stop, how to back up, or how to alter the course of a vehicle in any manner, is regulated by law.

To pass a vehicle from the rear, pass to the left. Give a signal on the horn, wait a reasonable time for the driver ahead to give way, then pass. The law requires the driver ahead to pull over to the right immediately upon hearing your signal, in order to let you pass.

To pass approaching vehicles, keep to the right. To pass street cars, keep to the right at all times.

To turn left into another highway, pass beyond the center of the intersection and to the right before turning.

To turn right into another highway, pass as close as possible to the left before turning right only when the turn is at such a sharp angle as to make it impossible to hug the corner.

To turn completely around, first pull clear over to the right, wait a safe distance to turn, then back up and lead your car in the same direction being followed by the traffic into which you turn.

Never drive against traffic, whether turning completely around, or backing out of a driveway, or on any other occasion unless absolutely necessary, and unless it can be done, even then, with absolute safety.

Never stop or back without giving adequate warning to other drivers, and allowing adequate time for them to give you clear way. Never stop with your car headed in a direction opposite to the direction of travel on that side of the road.

Next comes the most important of all the rules of the road, from the standpoint of safety. It is set off in brief for emphasis:

Make an adequate signal before changing the course of the vehicle in any manner.

Plan Outing For Rev. And Mrs. Oakley

Word having been received that Rev. and Mrs. Charles R. Oakley, of Chicago, will be here either today or Wednesday, the Local Berean Class of the First Christian Bible School, announce they will hold a picnic in their honor at Mount Park on Thursday evening. The affair is for the entire church and Bible School every member of these two organizations being invited. The only requisite is a well-filled basket. The fact that Rev. and Mrs. Oakley will not remain in Portsmouth over Sunday, but will motor to Paintsville, Ky., where their son, Carmon Oakley, is a pastor of the Christian Church, will mean that the only opportunity many of the members will have to see them will be at the picnic. It is hoped the affair will be all that is hoped for.

Fair A Success? Sure; Balance On Hand

The Missionary Triangle of the First Christian church will meet this evening at the church. An enjoyable feature of the evening will be a trip to Japan, and the "ship" will sail at 7:30 o'clock. All the young people of the church are extending a very cordial invitation to be present. Attractive Japanese maids will serve refreshments and Japanese games will be played after the guests have been transferred in imagination to the picturesque Orient.

Miss Edna Boyd of Lincoln, Nebraska, is the guest of Miss Thelma Workman of Young street.

Mrs. George B. Fayrer and daughter Helen and son Thomas of 1542 Third street have returned from a three weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Seely of Lexington, Ky.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson entertained at their home on Ninth street with a chicken dinner last Sunday. Mr. Johnson's four sisters, Mrs. A. J. Daniels, Mrs. Harley Redden, Mrs. J. Montgomery of this city and Mrs. Wm. Adkins and husband of Huntington, W. Va., and the following nieces and nephews: Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels, Mrs. C. W. Feil and son Donald, of Columbus, Ethelbert, Almagene, Kathleen and Walter Daniels and Homer Copier.

A delightful day was spent and out of town relatives motored home in the late afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Pollard and family of 1424 Summit street and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill of 1414 High street motored to Plum Run near Peebles, Sunday. On their way home they stopped off at Pikeon at the little house on the hill and spread a fine dinner, which consisted of fried chicken, potato salad, pickles, peaches and many other good things.

The Standard Bearers and Queen Esther of the Franklin Avenue M. E. church will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Ruth Kirk, 1701 Baird avenue. Every member is urged to be present and bring their Standard Bearer Mite boxes with them.

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A movement has been growing throughout the country to standardize these hand signals, so that motorists may interpret them conveniently.

The first is for turning left. It is given by extending the forearm straight left, with index finger pointing.

The second is for turning right. It is given by bending the forearm straight up at a right angle with the car, index finger pointing straight up.

The third is for stopping or backing up. It is given by dropping the arm straight toward the outer edge of the running board, with the palm of the hand facing toward the back of the car.

It is not necessary, if these signals are employed, to make all sorts of fancy motions which are often difficult to see in twilight, or fog, or darkness, or at a distance. The general position of the arm, however, can always be interpreted under all except extraordinary conditions.

It should not be understood that the law specifies these signals. It does not specify any particular set of signals, requiring only that the signals used be adequate to give proper notice to other drivers.

The recommended herein, however, is widely used throughout Ohio, is simple, easily understood, and may be safely used by the motorist.

In the next article, the rules on right of way will be given. This is a confusing question to a great many drivers, and the lack of knowledge concerning it is responsible for a large percentage of the accidents involving vehicles at highway intersections. The new law, however, simplifies the problem considerably.

SOCIETY

The Onawa Council Degree of Pochonatas will give a social tomorrow evening at their hall, Fifth and Chillicothe streets. The regular business meeting will be held at seven o'clock and will be followed by the social which will begin about 7:30 o'clock. All members and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

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Another can be expected in the future. Thirty-five members attended the outing.

Plans for an ice cream social to be held next Monday were made at the meeting last night. Mrs. Ada Jones and Miss Anna Adams were named as the arrangements committee. The social will be held in the Jr. O. U. A. M. hall and the public is invited. The organization gained nineteen members during the past month.

Exchange Club To Elect Officers

Election of officers will feature the evening. Every member is urged to attend as this is one of the important meetings of the year.

Meanest Of Thieves Wrecks Car When They Can Not Drive It Away

That fact that Ed V. Leuch of 1332 Fifth street, who is spending some time at the McCoy camp on the West Side, near Rushtown, took the maggot out of his Ford touring car last night, prevented auto thief, or thieves from stealing his machine. The person or persons, who tried to steal it, in finding they could not drive the car away, showed the disfavor of Mr. Leuch's safety device by passing the machine off the road into a ditch, wrecking it. The top was damaged, windshield broken and radiator damaged. The universal wrecker brought the car to the city for repairs.

Prize Winners Announced

That the people of this part of the country have queer ideas as to the cost of the erection of a house, was shown as a result of the demonstration held last week by The Leet Lumber Company at the Scioto County Fair. The company offered cash prizes to those who could most nearly estimate the cost of material that entered into the erection of a certain bungalow, a complete model of which was on display. There were more than 600 people who entered into the contest and their figures ranged all the way from \$300, the lowest, to \$23,000, the highest. The figures arrived at by the Leet Lumber Company, were scaled and the cost estimated at \$2,820.48. Miss Dorothy Shope, 1535 Poplar street, and R. H. Harwood, of Rushtown, each submitted the same figures, \$2,820, and were presented with \$15. Harry DeLongbawg, a complete model of which was on display. 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Frank Daniels of Linden Avenue, is spending his vacation with relatives in Columbus and adjacent cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Quillen Sr., and their son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elva Crumbree, of Kenova, W. Va., motored down for a week end visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Quillen Jr., 317 Campbell Ave.

Mrs. Fred Arrigoni, Mrs. Amanda Conkel, Mrs. John Sowers and the Rev. E. E. Barnhart, will leave Wednesday morning to attend the Ohio Baptist Association meeting at Harmony Church at Getaway, near Ironton. They will go as representatives of Kendall Avenue Baptist Church.

The Hilltop W. O. T. U. will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Widdig on the Scioto Trail. All members are urged to be present as the election of officers will be held.

Friends of Mrs. Alfred Sprecher (Adelaide Blake) will be interested to learn that she is studying at the American School of Dramatic Art in New York City. Mr. Sprecher, who received his M. A. degree at the College of Marietta, is studying at the College of Marietta this summer, working for his Ph. D. degree. Next year he will be at the head of the department of education at Marietta.

Ora Truitt and Harold D. McLaughlin motored to Columbus yesterday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hunt of John Street, have as guests Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kelly and children Clotilde, Marjorie, and Jane, of San Antonio, Texas, who motored here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade S. Kennedy of Columbus, visited with Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Griffin of Fourth Street, while here to attend the funeral of the late W. G. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brandel of Second Street, have gone to their camp at Arion for an indefinite stay.

Miss Frances Ault of the Home Telephone Co., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ault, at Haverhill.

Miss Alma Grimes and Miss Ruby Tapp of Carlisle, Ky., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Grimes on Second Street.

L. E. Molen of Fourth Street, left Sunday for Chicago, and from there will go to Delaware, Ind., to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Molen.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Katherine Conley, her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Beebler and Miss Katherine Conley, have returned from a motor trip to Wilmington, Ohio, where they visited the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Reardon.

Mr. J. W. Sloane, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Handgrove and son, Junior, motored to Dayton Sunday for a several days' visit. They will be accompanied home by Mrs. Sloane, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Erthes for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rogers of High street and their guest, Miss Gertrude Rogers, of Wilson, N. C., were recent dinner guests at the Blue Bird Inn, Wheelersburg.

Group 3 of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Laura Walker, 1024 Dewey avenue tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Ella Scott will be the assistant hostess. The election of officers will take place at this time and all members are urged to attend.

Miss Otrena Evans, of Fourth Street, who is employed in the office of the Irving Drew Shoe Company, has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Charleston, W. Va.

After a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Salmon of Moulton Place, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Martin of Cincinnati and guest, Mrs. R. T. Simmons of Cleveland, have motored back to Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs. Martin have just recently returned from an extensive motor-trip through the east.

Miss Irene Skidmore has returned home from a week end visit at Columbus, Ohio.

Misses Winifred and Mary Crowe are visiting with friends and relatives at McCullough and Otway.

The many friends of Mrs. E. O. McCall, of Highland Avenue, will be pleased to learn that she is much improved after a recent illness, and is now well on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Otto Emmert of Harvard Place, arrived last night from an extended visit with relatives at Lancaster, Zanesville, Columbus, and Cleveland.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daehler, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Donaldson and children Jane and Kathryn, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Glesler and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hayes, motored to Friendship Sunday and took dinner at the Lavinia Farm.

Joseph Gallagher of Second Street, has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

Dr. Ida Keyes and daughter, Miss Helen Keyes of Fourth Street, left Monday for a motor trip to Washington, D. C., and other eastern points.

Judge and Mrs. Oscar W. Newman, of Columbus, formerly of this city, have received a cablegram from their son-in-law and daughter, Captain and Mrs. Paul Vincent Kellogg (Katherine Newman) announcing their safe arrival in Schofield, Honolulu, where Captain Kellogg is attached to the 19th Infantry.

Mrs. Walter Fleming and son Walter have gone to their home in Columbus after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hollenbach of Third Street.

Mrs. Caroline Folsom of Fourth Street, will go to Miss Emma Cramer's summer home on Deer Creek tomorrow for a few days' visit with Mrs. Cramer and Billie and Frances Bowman, of Pittsburgh, grandchildren of Mrs. Bowman, who have been visiting here the past two weeks.

Mrs. J. D. Owen (Persis Pursell) and children, left last night for the home at Lynchburg, Va., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bannan Jr., of Bannan Place.

Mrs. Jessie M. Bolles of Columbus, is visiting with her sisters, the Misses McConnell of Glover Street.

Mr. A. J. Moore of Third Street, will visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Brandel, at Camp Arion this week.

Henry Fairtrace Jr., of Timmonds Avenue, is visiting in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ferguson of Court Street and grandchildren, Jack and Betty Davis, of Fifth Street; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Oldfield of Ninth Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Ferguson of Park Avenue, have returned from a delightful ten days' stay at "Green Gables", the new summer home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Davis situated at Rushtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson of Cincinnati, will spend Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Taylor of Jackson Street.

The ladies of the First Lutheran church will give an ice cream social on the lawn of the Harry Asche home on Harding and Wilson avenues, Saturday, tomorrow evening, to which all are invited. A special orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for the occasion and a general good time is assured all who attend.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Averitt of Louisville, Ky., will arrive here tomorrow to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson of 1002 Fourth street. Rev. Averitt will be remembered as the popular pastor of the First Baptist church in this city, and he will be glad to greet all his former friends and members of his congregation at the prayer service at the church on Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Strecker and children, Mary Jane and Charles, of Cincinnati will arrive here tomorrow for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Brushart of Glover street. Rev. Strecker was formerly pastor of Trinity church and will be glad to meet his old friends while here.

Mrs. E. A. Stone and children, who have been spending several weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wagner of Fourth street, left Sunday morning for their home in Pittsburgh, Pa. Mr. Stone motored here Friday to accompany them home. Mrs. E. W. Falck of Pittsburgh, who spent the week-end at the Wagner home, made the return trip with them.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Iva Cable, a charming young lady of Hanging Rock, Ohio, and Mr. William Harrison, a popular young man of Sciotoville, which took place on Saturday, August 4th. The wedding was quite a surprise to their many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison are making their home for the present with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harrison of Winchester avenue, Sciotoville.

Mrs. Zora B. Todd of Sciotoville will receive the members of the Sciotoville Bridge Club this evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stokley of Mt. Carmel, Ohio, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Pride of Fifth Street.

Mrs. Paul Revore of Baird avenue has been quite ill for the past few days.

Thomas Moore of Third street is visiting his aunt, Mrs. G. E. Adams and other relatives in Cadetsburg, Ky.

The executive committee of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Christian church, which was to have met tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Musser, 1325 Third street, has been postponed until Friday afternoon on account of the funeral of Mr. J. S. Luckett.

A delicious picnic lunch in Mound Park preceded the regular business meeting of the W. W. G. S. of the First Baptist church Monday evening. The delicious "feast" was spread under the shade of the big trees in the park and later the routine business of the society was disposed of.

Those present were the Misses Emma Spence, Ruth Spence, Sarah Clark, Inez Starcher, Lillian Mitchell, Mildred Bradberry, Helen Jones, Maxine Kelsor, Mertie Graham, Edith Chambers, Stella Rowe, Esther Guikler, Anna Kanouse, Mrs. Helen Shonkwer and Mrs. James Dawson.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Maxine Kelsor of Second street.

Mr. Edward Campion of Columbus has gone to Hurricane Lodge, in the Adirondacks, to visit Mr. Campion (Ruth Johnson) and children for a few days before sailing for a two months' tour of England and France. Mrs. Campion and children will remain in the Adirondacks until October first.

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manner of the man, never been let in on his process, his methods of reaching a decision. No man is ever known by the people until he reaches the Presidency. That high office brings men into full view. It reveals his friends and associates, his goings and his comings, how long it takes for him to write a speech or a message; all the habits and methods of his life. The privacy of a President nowadays some will have declared, may be likened to that of a gold fish in a globe.

Mr. Coolidge has found himself suddenly thrown into the full glare of Presidential publicity. He had absolutely no period of preparation. But he is remaining as secluded as possible and calm. He knows that the people always expect an inaugural address by the man who goes to the White House. But the people may have to wait a long while for an extended statement by Mr. Coolidge. He announced today that he would begin the semi-weekly conferences with the newspaper correspondents immediately after the cabinet meeting on Tuesday. He has not promised however that he will have much to say on that occasion.

The new President feels it is more essential at this time that he study the many problems that are before him than to indulge in too much talk. Mr. Coolidge is different from an elected President. He has no campaign pledges to live up to; no political promises to be kept. Therefore, it is not incumbent upon him at this time to reassure his friends and the people at large that his promises are to be kept. Mr. Coolidge has said he would carry out the Harding policies so far as possible. He is content to let his present position in the White House rest on that declaration. That he will have policies of his own he very long goes without saying; but he has not formulated these policies and consequently any announcement of them would be premature to say the least.

The cabinet remains intact for the time being. But there will be cabinet changes within the next few months. This is considered as certain as anything is certain in Washington nowadays.

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ington nowadays. The Harding cabinet has been very close to Mr. Coolidge because he has been meeting with it ever since he came into office as Vice President.

Mr. Coolidge has entered the White House with few if any friends, political or otherwise, to reward. But cabinet officers know that if Mr. Coolidge is to stand for renomination and election in 1924, it will be necessary for him to build up a machine of his own about him, and therefore each and every one of them is ready to step aside at any time the new President desires to make a change. No cabinet officer would think of embarrassing a new President by a quick resignation. Of course, resignations at a time of change like this, are understood to be tendered and the resignations will continue, constructively at least, in the President's hands up to the time any action by him is taken.

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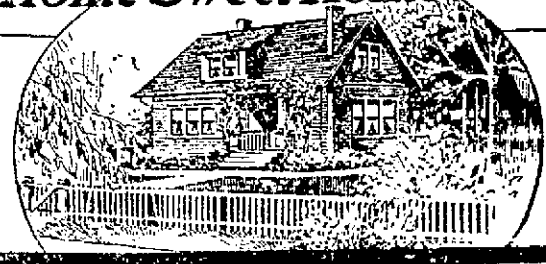
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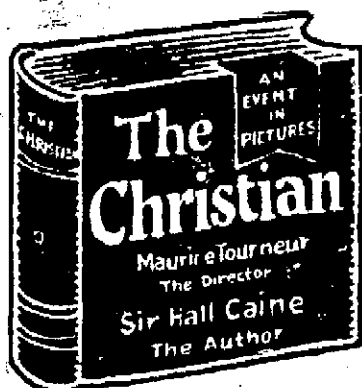
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an attendance of 400, for the month of August, an average of a hundred a Sunday, saying that he would pay for melons to feed the whole bunch. The men found that they needed 235 to make the 400 and two Sundays to go, and most of them were in favor of Lykins paying for the melons. With just a little effort on the part of the men they will be able to enjoy a big melon feast at the expense of the popular traveling salesman.

THE YELLOW SEVEN A GAME OF CHANCE

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

Captain John Hewitt is Commissioner of Police at Jesselton, British North Borneo. Monica Viney, Hewitt's widowed sister, is engaged to marry Peter Pennington, detective. Pennington is detailed by the government to apprehend Chai-Hung, leader of The Yellow Seven, a gang of Chinese bandits. Major Armitage comes to Jesselton and announces that he is sent on a very important mission. He explains that his business will keep him in Borneo for several days.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"You'll have to alter that, Hewitt. I should give him a week in which to improve and if by that time there's no sign of improvement—fire him right away."

Monica, catching the light in her brother's eye and scenting danger, chimed in quickly.

"Do you golf, Major Armitage?"

"My dear Mrs. Viney, the man who carries out his duties thoroughly has no time for games. Which brings me back to my original subject. I want to get away as soon after lunch as possible, Hewitt. I shall need some bearers, a week's rations and a platoon or so of native infantry. I shall require also an interpreter with a thorough knowledge of Chinese, Malay and English."

"I see," said Hewitt. "Might I take the liberty of inquiring the nature of the expedition you propose making into my country—and why this tremendous haste?"

The major hesitated and looked at Monica, who had already risen from her chair.

"I'll see if I can hurry that boy," she said.

Major Armitage produced a cigar from an upper pocket of his tunic, lit it off the end, and ignited it carefully.

Presently the preposterous circle of glass fixed itself upon Hewitt.

"Mrs. Viney mentioned the name of Pennington just now," he snapped. "I suppose this fellow's still on your strength, wasting government money and making an internal hash of this Yellow Seven business?"

The Commissioner flushed.

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The Commissioner's hand had slipped suddenly across his mouth and his shoulders heaved convulsively.

"Sorry!" he apologized presently. "Bit of 'bacca went the wrong way. With an heroic effort he choked down the mirth that consumed him. "So you're setting out this afternoon with, let's see, a week's rations, a platoon of native soldiers and some bearers. Oh, I was forgetting the interpreter. You'll scour the country, of course, until you knock across a bandit and—"

"I say, isn't a week's rations cutting it a trifle fine?"

"When you know me better," returned the other with dignity, "you'll understand that when I'm on a job—I go straight at it."

"That's extremely comforting! I only wonder if you quite realized that the area of Borneo is roughly 200,000 square miles!"

Major Armitage waved his cigar in the air.

"Naturally I'm relying on you to give me every possible assistance. I have a letter in my dispatch-case to that effect from Trevelyan. I shall wear a pushing-off place, so to speak."

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WHY BE WEAK AND NERVOUS

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the stunted jungle-wastes, difficulties for which Armitage was directly responsible and which he treated with such fatuous unconcern that Pennington wanted to knock the offending monocle into the eye that it adorned. Together with his other faults—Major Lacy Armitage lacked grace. He was the exact opposite to that type of British officer men will follow to the ends of the earth, taking the smooth with the rough of it, recognizing errors but still following, drawn on by their leader's personality and persistent optimism.

One by one the bearers began to drop out and on the morning of the fourth day it was apparent that two of the native soldiers had deserted. The bearers took their load of supplies with them—and the two defaulter were eventually tracked to a clearing where they lay side by side, their throats slit from ear to ear, and the sign of the Yellow Seven pinned to their breasts.

It stands to Armitage's credit that he did not turn a hair. The discovery had, as a matter of fact, the opposite effect to that which Pennington had imagined. It merely whetted the other's appetite and encouraged him to push forward, unmindful of the fact that he was already four days' march from his original base—with about two and a half days' rations still in hand.

"We'll get him yet, Sing-Ho," he declared. "I may as well inform you, now we're on the subject, that up to this moment I'd regarded you as an unholly fraud."

The interpreter evinced considerable surprise.

"A fraud, then?" he echoed blankly.

"I'm not a man accustomed to making mistakes. It has been gradually dawning upon me that you were out to earn your money easily. You never intended to encounter this countryman of yours and you had fully made up your mind to profit by my unfortunate ignorance of local languages. I have a habit of inspecting the camp before turning in. On three occasions recently I've found your tent empty."

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

So Long Vacation

Joseph Kountz of the Criterion Clothing Co., resumed his work yesterday after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.



Richard Dix
in Maurice Tourneur's Production
of Hall Caine's
"THE CHRISTIAN"
A Goldwyn Picture

Dix Beats Rivals For
Coveted "Christian" Role

There is an interesting story in connection with the Eastland Theatre which comes to the Eastland Theatre Richard Dix in the title role of "The Christian" directed by Maurice Tourneur, which comes to the Eastland Theatre on Monday for six days. The part is probably the most desirable cinematic plum of the year and every male star in filmdom cast envious eyes at it.

Maurice Tourneur the director, made tests of every available actor before he chose Dix. But after Richard had donned the cassock and impersonated John Storm before the camera, the director and the Goldwyn officials were unanimous in saying that he was the best of the lot. And may it be added that Dix won out over some of the most brilliant names of both the stage and the films.

Readers of the story will remember that John Storm is a young idealist who tries to live the life of Christ under modern conditions. Hall Caine in a memorandum to the Goldwyn company, describes the character:

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News From Nearby Towns

SCIOTOVILLE and
WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE
Friends of Mr. William Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harrison of Winchester, will be surprised to learn of his marriage, which took place on Saturday, August 11, to Miss Iva Cable, a popular young lady of Hanging Rock, Ohio. The young couple are making their home for the present with the groom's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Devers of Sunshine were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gamm of Sunshine recently.

Miss Emma and Jesse Scott of Portsmouth spent last week-end with Mrs. Ed Scott and daughter, Ethel, of South Webster.

Mrs. H. C. McCormick, Jr., of Huntington spent today with Mrs. William Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jenkins of Lora Pike were recent business visitors to Portsmouth.

Miss Ethel Scott of South Webster is recovering from an attack of whooping cough.

The Sciotoville Bridge Club will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Zora Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson have moved into their new home on Harding avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Carson and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hopkins of Castle Hill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Spohn of Stockdale recently.

Members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will hold a market Saturday afternoon, August 18th, on the church lawn. All members are requested to have their donations at the church before one o'clock.

Winona Buckles, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Buckles of Swauger Valley, who drank turpentine several days ago, is improving nicely.

Misses Pearl and Lillian Wells of Ironton are here for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Evans of Wilson avenue.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will give an ice cream social this evening on the lawn of the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Joiner, corner of Harding avenue and Harrison street, to which the public is cordially invited to attend.

The ladies of the First Lutheran church will give an ice cream social tomorrow evening on the lawn of the Harry Ache home, Wilson and Harding avenue, to which the general public is cordially invited to attend. A special orchestra will furnish music and a general good time is assured all who attend.

Misses Dorothy and Edna Davidson of Wilson avenue are visiting relatives and friends in Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brock spent Sunday with Mrs. Philip Frick of Gallia avenue.

The many friends of Mrs. H. Correll, who has been ill for some time, will be pleased to learn that she is steadily improving.

Mrs. Arthur Walters and daughter, Margaret, of Portsmouth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Evans of Wilson avenue, Monday.

Mrs. L. C. Evans of Wilson avenue has returned from Cincinnati, where she was the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Kinsler (Lulu Evans).

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cole of Wilson avenue spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jeans of Dogwood Ridge.

Attorney Luther Thompson and mother, Mrs. Othella Thompson, were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. J. W. Cluts of Wheelersburg.

WHEELERSBURG
The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. John Duls Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. The assistant hostesses for the occasion will be Mrs. Charles Burke, Mrs. Eva Dindul, Mrs. Ed. Ranshaw and Mrs. J. H. Burke. All members are urged to be present.

On Thursday evening the members of St. Peter's congregation will entertain with a social and jolly dance on the lawn near the church dogwood ridge. Hill's classic orchestra will furnish the music for the jolly dancing and the ladies of the congregation will furnish light refreshments. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. William Greh will extend the hospitality of her home to the members of the Pastime Club tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. W. T. Eagleson was the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bahner of Sciotoville, Monday.

Mrs. Lourena Hughes of Pine Creek attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Robert McDowell in New Boston, today.

Mrs. Bessie Storer of St. Louis, Mo. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Harr of Pine Creek.

Miss Lucille Harr of Pine Creek, spent today in Portsmouth where she took examinations preparing her entry in the Wheelersburg Normal School.

The many friends of Mrs. W. T. Eagleson will be pleased to learn that she has recovered from a recent illness.

H. C. McCormick, Jr., has returned to his home in Huntington after a visit to relatives and friends here and in New Boston. Mrs. McCormick will remain for a longer stay.

Miss Helen Simons has returned to her home in New Boston, after a pleasant visit to Miss Frances Lang, who spent Sunday with Mrs. Callie Blair of this place.

NEW BOSTON

The members of the Inman Baptist Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at Millbrook park Saturday afternoon. An invitation to attend is extended to all.

Miss Goldie O'Neal of Gallia avenue and niece, Margaret Dixon of Portsmouth, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Geraldine Corey of Wadsworth, Va.

Mrs. Robert Dennis of 4126 Gallia avenue left yesterday for Wheelersburg, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. J. H. Rathiff. She also will spend several days with her sister, Mrs. William Patrick and

Sunburned?
MENTHOLATUM
cools and soothes
the parched skin

In such a situation American silence, American aloofness, American inaction can easily be mistaken for the inability of selfishness. Despite all that has been said since the peace conference, the fact is Europe does not understand America. Bewildered first by the miraculous transport of two million men to rescue the Allied cause, the same people cannot grasp the reason for the sudden crashing into the shell without much, as it were, a look.

There is, however, more sense thought about Europe in America than there is Europe itself. America can help to lead Europe out of the wilderness when the right time comes—when the foundations have been built by the Europeans themselves. First there must be a will to get together and agree upon facts. Never was there such a mixture of motives, prejudices, hatreds and suspicion with what one would like to call "facts" except that there are no such things today.

No two nations agree, for instance, upon what Germany's capacity to pay reparations can possibly be. No two nations in Germany can agree on it either. And as for Great Britain, one needs only to read half the British press and see how terribly militaristic and grasping France has gotten all of a sudden and turn to the other section of the British press and discover how surprisingly pro-German the British government is, accused of behaving. Nor is France without dissension though it must be said in candor the French people are more of a unit in their policy of keeping Germany from getting on her feet than is any other country in Europe.

You cannot find agreement between the many truces and what Germany has already paid or what she can pay. And there is unfortunately good reason to believe certain interests in Europe do not want any such agreement. They do not want to be bothered by facts. They want to achieve certain aims.

Behind the scenes of diplomacy is big business. Stretching eager hands for booty, these captains of industry manipulate the parliament and legislative bodies of Europe as surely as the ventriloquist does the puppet on his knee. Newspapers right and left are subsidized or controlled. With one or two exceptions the words "public opinion" mean the tyranny of certain groups who play upon popular emotion the tunes that stimulate the dance of commercial ambition.

That's why governments are so inconsistent and seemingly powerless, and that's why so many Americans, after peering behind the scenes, shake their heads dubiously, pack their luggage and thank God for the Atlantic ocean. At best this is a superficial conclusion because Europe cannot attempt suicide again as she did in 1914 without injuring the economic prosperity of the American people. The preacher who abandons his pulpit just because most of the people before him are sinners would not be adjudged a disciple of Christendom.

The undying spirit of the Crusader moves him to preach morality whether he gets results at once or perhaps never. It is something at least to have tried.

Europe needs more than anything else a voice of reason and not a threat of American power or an extension of funds. Europe must of course be ultimately refurnished by American capital, in other words by American investors but what Europe does not realize is that the day of that achievement will be subject to indefinite postponements so long as Americans do not have confidence in Europe.

And with what is Europe going to win American confidence? Little indeed. For one thing there is no clear conception of what Europe must do before American confidence can be gained. Europe needs a cleansing of heart. The camouflage of diplomatic notes still hides the battle of motives, the clash of financial and industrial interests. The commercial game which helped so much to plunge Europe in battle nine years ago still goes on through manipulated governments while mothers look anxiously at their babies in arms and wonder whether they are raising more cannon fodder for the great catastrophe that's coming within another five or ten years if Europe continues its suicidal pace of today.

But can Europe fight so soon again? Isn't everybody exhausted? There is no exhaustion of heart or greed. Hungry people grow desperate and fight hardest when their backs are against the wall. Central Europe has not yet reacted that point, but, gounded on, it will soon begin to disregard all governments and mistakenly seek to accomplish through anarchy what democracy has failed to do.

France today stands in Napoleonic domination of all Europe. The present French army is better than that which the Kaiser had in 1914. Three thousand airplanes, the greatest air fleet made by the hand of man—controls the air for the French. Its a language of coercion which has brought Britain to humiliate in a complete state of mind. Back of Polaire is Foch and the French general staff, the most powerful military institution the world has ever known. All the little countries of Europe, Rumania, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Belgium and Jugoslavia have been armed by France. The cry of the French is "Security." They have indeed achieved it. Will they stop there?

It is futile to talk about reparations or what Germany can pay till that question of French motive is satisfactorily answered. Certain sections of the French populace would like to see peace made. Others are dreaming of commercial conquest. France and Britain are drifting further apart. The opportunity of America is to bring them together. President Coolidge has an unprecedented chance to go down in history as the man who made peace in the world five years after the armistice that ended the most terrible of all wars.

After the announcement that an investigation of the gasoline and oil situation had been undertaken by the Department of Justice, refiners and distributors in the Rocky Mountain States declared they courted inquiry, which, they said, would show no unreasonable profits had been made.

Order Investigation
Investigations of local conditions either are under way or have been ordered by various state executives and municipal authorities.

The Chicago City Council petitioned Governor Len Small, of Illinois, to take action enabling purchases by state agencies of supplies adequate to break prices before announcement was made of the reduction.

Governor Victor Donahue, of Ohio, in an answer to Governor McMaster, of South Dakota, said there were no laws in Ohio under which he could assist in the campaign for price reduction and said it appeared to him a matter for Federal rather than state action.

Governor J. A. O. Prens, of Minnesota, previous to the reduction, announced an inquiry into the cost of gasoline production.

An investigation of short measure in gasoline in Cleveland, Ohio, resulted in five arrests yesterday.

The inquiry by the Department of Justice, officials said, is designed to determine whether there has been combination in restraint of trade in interstate commerce in connection with the recent decision of 25 refiners in the mid-continent field to shut down, and general oil conditions will be investigated.

Limitation of buying of crude oil in Texas and Oklahoma was announced by the Magnolia Petroleum Company simultaneously with the announcement of price reductions in other sections. The company will accept only 50 per cent of the production of the wells connected with its pipe lines, the other 50 per cent to be run into the company's storage stock. Reductions of more than five

cents were said to be unfair and ruinous by L. V. Nicholas, head of the National Petroleum Marketers' Association, in announcing the five-cent reduction by independents in mid-western states. The Standard Oil Company, of Indiana, in its announcement, declared it was not engaged in an effort to put competitors out of business and said it would welcome a change of attitude on the part of all parties concerned, resulting in a reasonable price for gasoline, which would enable not only it, but all of its competitors to enjoy a reasonable profit.

SAYS AUTO CLUBS SHOULD NOT GO INTO GASOLINE BUSINESS
CLEVELAND, OHIO, August 14.—Fred H. Caley, President of the Ohio State Automobile Association and Secretary of the Cleveland Automobile Club, left for Columbus shortly before noon for a conference with Governor Donahue to discuss gasoline prices. The conference is scheduled for 4 p. m. to-day in the Governor's office.

In a statement before starting for Columbus Mr. Caley declared he believed it would "not be a proper function of automobile clubs to go into the gasoline business in competition with others."

He pointed out that either the Governor or the State or the Attorney General may, upon receiving evidence that the provisions of the Valentine anti-trust law have been violated, take steps to force compliance with its terms. The Ohio State Automobile Association, he said, will be "glad to extend any aid it can in helping the Governor to secure lower prices."

SAY OHIO PRICES TO BE CUT
CLEVELAND, OHIO, August 14.—Unless Ohio companies selling gasoline make a considerable reduction in the retail price, the Columbus Automobile Club and possibly other local clubs in Ohio, may purchase large quantities of gasoline for sale to members at reduced rates, Secretary Frank Rodrian, of the Columbus Club, said to-day.

"However, I have some rather definite information that the Ohio gasoline companies will reduce their prices in the next few days," Mr. Rodrian said to-day.

The Columbus Automobile Club to-day wired the Automobile Club at Dallas, Texas, asking what gasoline could be purchased for there in carload lots. A reply quoting 9.12 cents a gallon was received. Secretary Rodrian said that the freight rate from Dallas would be about three cents a gallon enabling the club, if necessary, to sell gasoline to its members at about 13 cents a gallon.

Mob Rioting
(Continued from Page One)
GENERAL STRIKE CALLED OFF
BERLIN, August 14.—The general strike in Berlin was called off by the communists this morning. All the transportation lines re-opening.

TWELVE KILLED, 80 WOUNDED
AIX LA CHAPPELLE, August 14.—Twelve persons were killed and more than eighty were wounded here last night, when crowds attempted to storm the police headquarters and rescue prisoners taken during the day when the police broke up a food-shortage demonstration.

All the victims were German citizens. In yesterday's demonstration four Germans were killed and forty wounded. The crowd was composed for the most part of idle workmen. It laid a similar siege to the headquarters and failed to heed the police warnings. "Disperse."

After throwing hand-grenades into the crowd and firing several volleys the security police emerged and charged the mob with sabres and revolvers.

Mounted police now are patrolling the city. The Belgian troops did not interfere in the affair.

Salesman Found Dead
LANCASTER, WIS.—William Johnson, 60, salesman, Springfield, Mo., found dead in rooming house, today, where a sister and daughter reside.

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The Chicago City Council petitioned Governor Len Small, of Illinois, to take action enabling purchases by state agencies of supplies adequate to break prices before announcement was made of the reduction.

Governor Victor Donahue, of Ohio, in an answer to Governor McMaster, of South Dakota, said there were no laws in Ohio under which he could assist in the campaign for price reduction and said it appeared to him a matter for Federal rather than state action.

Governor J. A. O. Prens, of Minnesota, previous to the reduction, announced an inquiry into the cost of gasoline production.

An investigation of short measure in gasoline in Cleveland, Ohio, resulted in five arrests yesterday.

The inquiry by the Department of Justice, officials said, is designed to determine whether there has been combination in restraint of trade in interstate commerce in connection with the recent decision of 25 refiners in the mid-continent field to shut down, and general oil conditions will be investigated.

Limitation of buying of crude oil in Texas and Oklahoma was announced by the Magnolia Petroleum Company simultaneously with the announcement of price reductions in other sections. The company will accept only 50 per cent of the production of the wells connected with its pipe lines, the other 50 per cent to be run into the company's storage stock. Reductions of more than five

cents were said to be unfair and ruinous by L. V. Nicholas, head of the National Petroleum Marketers' Association, in announcing the five-cent reduction by independents in mid-western states. The Standard Oil Company, of Indiana, in its announcement, declared it was not engaged in an effort to put competitors out of business and said it would welcome a change of attitude on the part of all parties concerned, resulting in a reasonable price for gasoline, which would enable not only it, but all of its competitors to enjoy a reasonable profit.

SAYS AUTO CLUBS SHOULD NOT GO INTO GASOLINE BUSINESS
CLEVELAND, OHIO, August 14.—Fred H. Caley, President of the Ohio State Automobile Association and Secretary of the Cleveland Automobile Club, left for Columbus shortly before noon for a conference with Governor Donahue to discuss gasoline prices. The conference is scheduled for 4 p. m. to-day in the Governor's office.

In a statement before starting for Columbus Mr. Caley declared he believed it would "not be a proper function of automobile clubs to go into the gasoline business in competition with others."

He pointed out that either the Governor or the State or the Attorney General may, upon receiving evidence that the provisions of the Valentine anti-trust law have been violated, take steps to force compliance with its terms. The Ohio State Automobile Association, he said, will be "glad to extend any aid it can in helping the Governor to secure lower prices."

SAY OHIO PRICES TO BE CUT
CLEVELAND, OHIO, August 14.—Unless Ohio companies selling gasoline make a considerable reduction in the retail price, the Columbus Automobile Club and possibly other local clubs in Ohio, may purchase large quantities of gasoline for sale to members at reduced rates, Secretary Frank Rodrian, of the Columbus Club, said to-day.

"However, I have some rather definite information that the Ohio gasoline companies will reduce their prices in the next few days," Mr. Rodrian said to-day.

The Columbus Automobile Club to-day wired the Automobile Club at Dallas, Texas, asking what gasoline could be purchased for there in carload lots. A reply quoting 9.12 cents a gallon was received. Secretary Rodrian said that the freight rate from Dallas would be about three cents a gallon enabling the club, if necessary, to sell gasoline to its members at about 13 cents a gallon.

Mob Rioting
(Continued from Page One)
GENERAL STRIKE CALLED OFF
BERLIN, August 14.—The general strike in Berlin was called off by the communists this morning. All the transportation lines re-opening.

TWELVE KILLED, 80 WOUNDED
AIX LA CHAPPELLE, August 14.—Twelve persons were killed and more than eighty were wounded here last night, when crowds attempted to storm the police headquarters and rescue prisoners taken during the day when the police broke up a food-shortage demonstration.

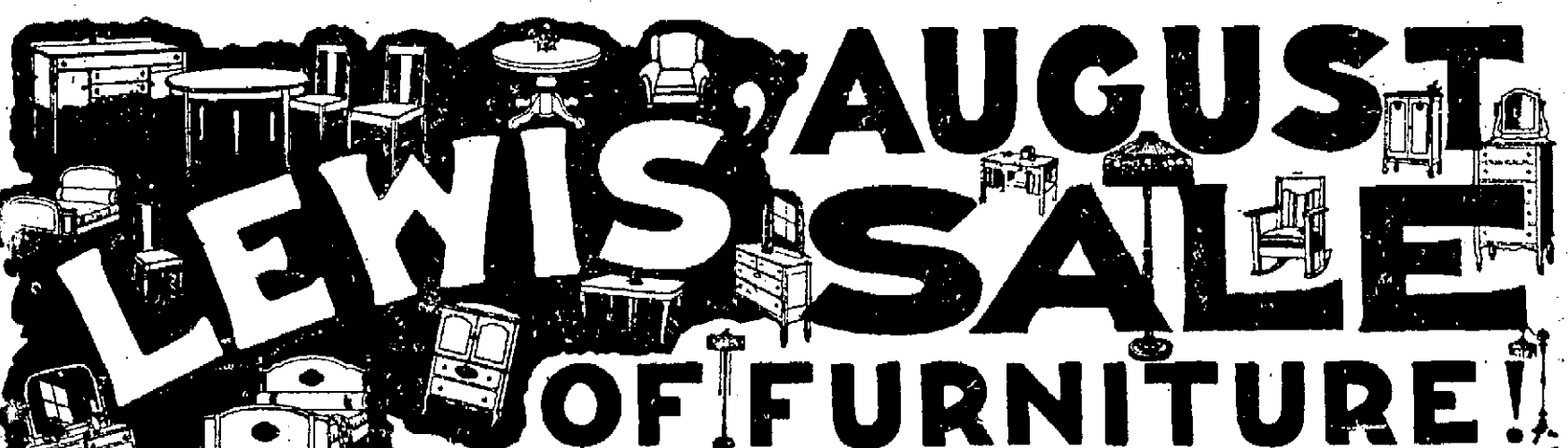
All the victims were German citizens. In yesterday's demonstration four Germans were killed and forty wounded. The crowd was composed for the most part of idle workmen. It laid a similar siege to the headquarters and failed to heed the police warnings. "Disperse."

After throwing hand-grenades into the crowd and firing several volleys the security police emerged and charged the mob with sabres and revolvers.

Mounted police now are patrolling the city. The Belgian troops did not interfere in the affair.

Salesman Found Dead
LANCASTER, WIS.—William Johnson, 60, salesman, Springfield, Mo., found dead in rooming house, today, where a sister and daughter reside.

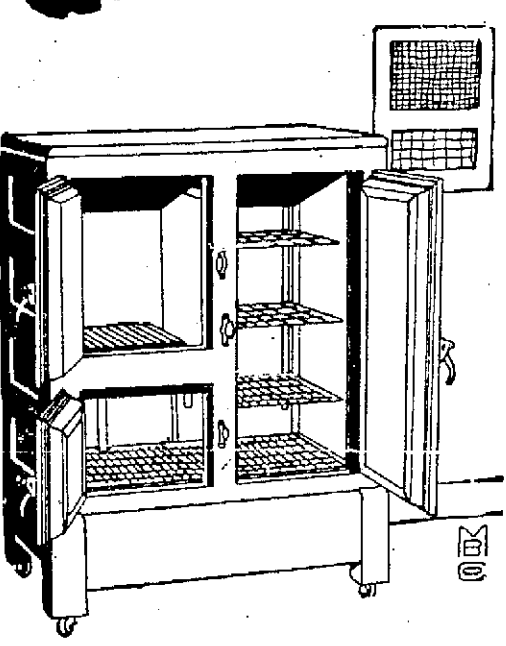
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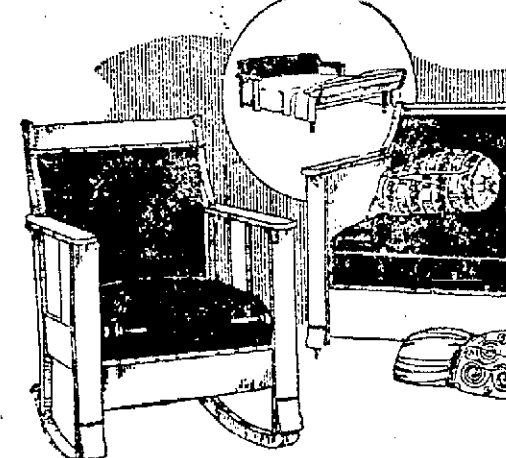


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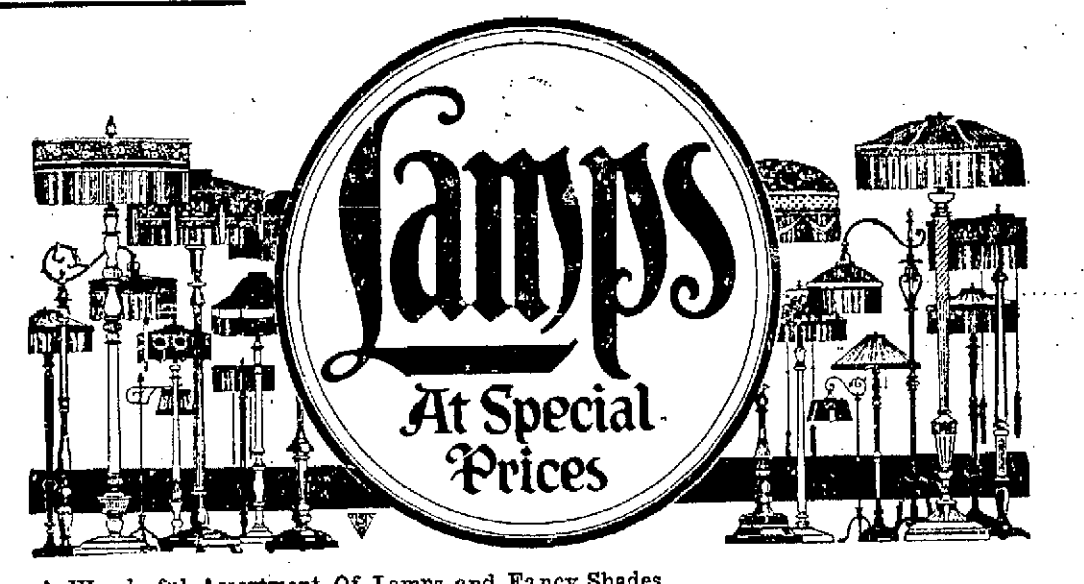
Suite consists of a roomy davenport that may easily and quickly be transformed into a full sized comfortable bed, a large arm chair and rocker. All pieces thoroughly well made. Spring construction the very best.

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Situation

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But it is one thing to turn a cold shoulder to distracted Europe because the situation is distasteful; nothing could have been more distasteful than the events that prompted America to enter the war in 1917—and it is another thing to look with eyes of sympathy and to speak words of platitudes straight forward logic to the European peoples. For Europe is more to be pitied than scorned.

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Miss Dolly Wise

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DEAR MISS WISE—Who is a present head of the German, Austrian, Hungarian and Russian governments?
 Frederick Ebert is the President of Germany.
 Dr. Michael Hainisch is the President of Austria and Mgr. Ignatz Seipel is the Chancellor.
 Admiral Nicholas van Horthy is Regent of Hungary, and Count Stephen Bethlen is the Premier.
 President of Council of Peoples' Commissaries, Vladimir Ilich Lenin.
 Minister of Foreign Affairs, Georges Chicherin.

DEAR MISS WISE—One often sees the elbow length glove worn with the hand part rolled over the back of the wrist. Is this proper? Should gloves be removed during church services?
 —M. B. S.

It is perfectly all right to wear gloves, go without or carry them. It is more convenient to slip one's hand out of them and roll them back.

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than to remove them altogether. You can use your own judgment about taking them off in church.

DEAR DOLLY—What would you do with a girl who is always boasting about the beaux she can get or the men she can vamp. I have been going with a girl for some time and Dolly she can't talk about a thing but her conquests. Of course they don't mean anything in my young life, as I am just going with her for pastime now, and would like to carry on a real honest-to-goodness conversation once in awhile. Now just what would you do about it?
 —Jack.

OAK HILL, OHIO, DEAR MISS WISE—Will you please tell me how a boy and girl must be to get married in Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama and Florida.
 —WANDERING.

SOCIAL NEWS

The following handsomely engraved cards were received by friends here yesterday:
 Dr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Chandler announce the marriage of their daughter
 Mary Hammond

Mr. Malcolm Richard Crew on Saturday, August eleventh nineteen hundred and twenty-three Montevideo, Uruguay.
 The bride, with her sister, Miss Frances Chandler, has been engaged in teaching at Crandon Institute, Montevideo, and Mr. Crew is general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. work in South America. Miss Chandler visited her parents in this city during the past winter and later resumed her teaching, prior to her marriage. She will finish out this semester before coming home for a visit.

Miss Marie Duback of Cincinnati, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Duback of Lucasville, has informed friends of her marriage to Mr. B. Leffler last month. The marriage has been kept a secret until recently. Mrs. Leffler lived in Portsmouth at the Y. W. C. A. and was employed by the Portsmouth Plant, Wheeling Steel Corporation, until a year ago when she moved to Cincinnati. At present the happy couple are living with the groom's parents at 8 Garfield Place, Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNeal and sons, Robert and Jack, have returned from a week-end visit with relatives in Columbus.

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4081. Ladies' House Dress. Cut in 7 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. A 38 inch size requires 5 3/4 yards of 36 inch material. The width of the bodice is 2 1/2 yards with contrasting material requires 3 1/4 yard 32 inches wide. Price 10c.

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The age, without their parents' consent, in Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and Florida is 21 years of age. They may get married, with their parents' consent, in Tennessee, Alabama several years younger. However, I would advise you to wait until you are 21 and get married right here in Portsmouth.

DEAR DOLLY—Will you please tell me what will take iron rust out of white lace.
 —K. K.

A weak solution of chloride of lime or salt and lemon juice will take it out. Another good preparation is Galt's Iron Rust Soap, which may be purchased in 25-cent tubes at any good drug store. If you use the salt and lemon place in the sun to bleach and repeat operation until the rust disappears.

DEAR DOLLY—I forgot to register at the primaries, and I want to know if I will lose my vote or can I vote at the election without voting in the primaries. I have moved since the last Presidential election, so will I have to register?

—YOUNG VOTER.
 You can vote at the election without voting at the primaries, providing you don't get to register on the day that will be set aside for registration before the November election. They will be announced in the paper in advance of the time for registration.

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There are many other recipes as good as this in the Carnation Cook Book. Send for it.

Last Thursday in Paris, France, the marriage of Miss Christine Louise Tracy, daughter of Mr. Joseph T. Tracy, 240 Nineteenth avenue, and Mr. George Roberts Jamieson, of Dayton, was celebrated. The couple will tour Europe and return to Dayton to live. Mr. Jamieson, who formerly attended the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has been studying abroad since May. He is associated with the T. J. Hughes Co., architects, of Dayton. The bride, left July 28 for Paris, after a visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tracy, of Brooklyn, N. Y. She was graduated last June from Ohio State university and is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority, Chimes and Mortar board. In 1922 she was chosen as one of the Magic Mirror girls. Mr. Jamieson is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Beechman, of Dayton, a friend of the bridegroom, who is touring Europe. Dayton people who are with Rev. Beechman, were the witnesses.—Columbus Dispatch.

The many friends and relatives of Miss Carol Williams will be surprised to learn of her marriage to Mr. Norman S. Groos, which took place August 4th in the "Old Stone Church," Cleveland. Mr. Groos is a son of A. Groos, 1921 Indianola Drive, Cleveland. Mrs. Groos is the youngest daughter of the late Capt. W. H. Williams and has made her home in Cleveland for the past two years, being a valued member of the clerical force of the Canada Life Assurance Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rogers of High Street and their guest, Miss Gertrude Rogers of Wilton, N. C., have returned from a week-end visit with friends in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Byrne of 2310 Vinson avenue have moved to Greenup, Ky.

Miss Mae Lunnion is visiting Miss Mary Byrne of Greenup, Ky.

Mrs. S. R. Hayes of 1528 Sixth street has returned from a two months' trip through the West. She visited her mother, Mrs. S. L. Seal, and sister, Mrs. A. L. Hassler, in Portland, Oregon, and her sister, Mrs. C. B. Cramer and her uncle, Mr. H. C. Lohmire in Vancouver, Washington. Another sister, Mrs. C. B. Cramer, and her two children, of Oakland, California, has joined the family gathering at the home of her mother in Portland.

Mrs. M. L. Barber and daughter, Mrs. S. R. Warner, and Miss Florence Barber are visiting relatives in Bluefield and Roanoke, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Green of Scioto Furnace has returned from a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Green of Brushart, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of 14th street have returned from a motor trip to Chillicothe, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson.

Miss Matilda, sister of Fifth Street is enjoying a week's vacation from her work in the office of the Irving Drew Shoe Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Newman and son Oscar of Charleston, W. Va., were guests last week of Judge and Mrs. Oscar W. Newman of Columbus enroute from a motor trip through Michigan.

Mrs. T. B. Lawson of Second St., had as guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lawson of Pittsburgh, Pa. and Mrs. Ernest Lawson of Huntington, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson and Mr. Earl Lawson returned to their homes Monday, leaving Mrs. Earl Lawson to continue her visit here.

Russell Shoemaker of Jackson St., spent Sunday at Manchester with his mother, Mrs. Howard Allen.

Miss Vivian Daniels of the Irving Drew office is enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation, and will leave today for a visit with relatives at Columbus.

Miss Mary K. Reed of Second St., has as her guest her sister in law Mrs. Margaret Reed, of Columbus, a former resident of this city.

Mr. Gus B. Barlow, 1459 West First Avenue, manager of the Ohio department of the Federal Life Insurance Co., left Wednesday evening for Chicago, where he joined officials of the company for an extended trip to Glacier National Park, Montana, and the west.—Columbus Dispatch.

Miss Hazel Clark of the Irving Drew office is enjoying her annual vacation.

On Thursday evening of this week another ice cream social and lawn party will be given on the grounds surrounding St. Peter's church on Dogwood Ridge to which the general public is cordially invited to attend. Hill's classic orchestra has been engaged to play for the dinner dances and the ladies of the congregation will serve fine refreshments of ice cream, cake and pop.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jenkins entertained with a chicken dinner at their country home near South Webster on Sunday, the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. George Hill and son, Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Smith and children, Charlotte, Virginia and Elmer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schult and daughter, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Seth and children, Howard and Dorothy, Mr. Delmar Dutler and sons, Delmar and Harold. Later in the afternoon, the host and hostess served refreshing icecream and cake.

Mrs. Charles Daehler of Eighth Street, has returned from a few weeks' stay at Marietta, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rottmehaus and the latter's mother, Mrs. Margaret Thompson enjoyed Sunday dinner at the Lavender Farm.

After a visit with his brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kowman, of Columbus, Frank Swearingen of Lincoln Street, has returned home. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Mabel Brown, who spent the week-end in Columbus.

Miss Ruth Freudenreich, teacher at Garfield School, will return soon from her vacation spent with relatives at Fairfield, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. B. Sommersville of Ashland, Ky., visited with local friends yesterday, having come to attend the funeral of the late W. G. Williams.

Miss Eunice Barry of Roanoke, Va., is visiting with Miss Mabel Oakes of Grant Street, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hastings of Timmonds Avenue and with her grandmother, Mrs. R. Barry of Gallia Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Briggs and two children of Cleveland, are visiting with Mr. Briggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Briggs of Waller Street.

After a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John G. Kelly, of Second Street, Mr. and Mrs. Carrington Lobban and three children of Baltimore, Md., went to Covington, Ky., Monday to visit with relatives before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan W. Conroy and daughter Kathleen, and Dr. and Mrs. Howard Williamson and daughter Helen left this morning on a trip through the West. While away they will visit the Yellowstone National Park, Glacier Park, Rocky Mountain Park and Shoshone Park. They will be away several weeks and have planned a very interesting itinerary.

Mrs. Nellie Fairbrooks and daughter, Miss Jean Fairbrooks, of Timmonds Avenue, left Monday for a visit at Canton, Columbus and Cleveland.

Miss Edna Honey of Grandview avenue spent Sunday with relatives at Mt. Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Forrest and sons Richard and Bobbie of Roanoke, Va., are visiting with Mr. Forrest's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCoy, of Timmonds Avenue.

Miss Ruth Hastings, of Timmonds Avenue who has been spending the summer at White Bear Lake, Minn., will arrive home this week.

Dr. Alice Lyle of the hospital staff of the Selby Shoe Company, is spending her vacation at Camp Proctor, near Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Irvin of Third Street, have as guests Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Irvin and family of Cincinnati.

Misses Dorothy Kohns and Vera Mathiot of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. F. J. Buck of Grant Street.

Mrs. Gordon Freeman and son Gordon are visiting in Irouton with Mr. and Mrs. Lex Foster.

Fritz Straus of Timmonds Avenue is visiting in Cincinnati.

M. A. Klein of the Silver Furniture Company, left Monday for Cleveland to spend a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spencer and daughter, Anna Grace, of Franklin Boulevard, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxwell of Columbus, are enjoying a trip through the west, which is taking them to Yellowstone Park, Colorado, and other interesting places.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swearingen of Lincoln Street, have returned from a week-end visit with relatives at Huntington, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davis of Fifth Street, who with Mr. and Mrs. Watson Goddard, of Fourth Street, have been touring in Michigan, have returned home, leaving Mr. and Mrs. Goddard to continue their trip.

Mrs. C. A. Holloway and son Charles of Kinney's Lane, are visiting with relatives in Cincinnati.

Paul Yuenger has been removed to his home on Dewey Avenue, from Mercy Hospital, where he underwent an operation for acute appendicitis recently.

Mrs. James A. Richardson, of 1024 Gallia Street, and children, returned home yesterday from Charleston, W. Va., where they visited her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Garrett. Mr. Richardson spent the week-end at Charleston and accompanied them home.

Friends of Mrs. Charles Zoellner of Eighth Street, will be glad to hear that she is steadily recovering from an operation which she recently underwent at Hempstead Hospital.

Frances Louise is the name given the little daughter born on Thursday, August second, to Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson of Thirteenth street.

Rev. A. Fisher, S. J., and his mother, Mrs. J. Fisher of Cincinnati are spending this week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lillick and family of Gay street. While here Father Fisher will look after the affairs of Holy Redeemer parish, the pastor, Rev. J. E. McGuirk, having left Monday on a trip to Europe.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

THE PEE WEES' PARTY



"I do hope the bugs will stay away," said King Snookums.

WE're going to have a party! We're going to have a party! cried all the little Pee Wee people. And they were so delighted about it that they rushed madly here and there and ran under stones and leaves to hide. "Oh, save us! Save us!" they cried, "somebody!" Oscar Owl blinked and then he winked. "If I can't get more I'll have to eat Pee Wees," he remarked, snapping his bill and looking around sharply. "I'm hungry." Then suddenly Nancy and Nick saw a strange thing happen. All the lightning bugs and June bugs and other bugs that hadn't been asked to the party came trooping along. "Jump on us," they cried, "and we'll save you." And the Pee Wees jumped on and saved the Twins, and soon Pee Wee Land was as empty as a drum. And Oscar Owl went home hungry. (To Be Continued)

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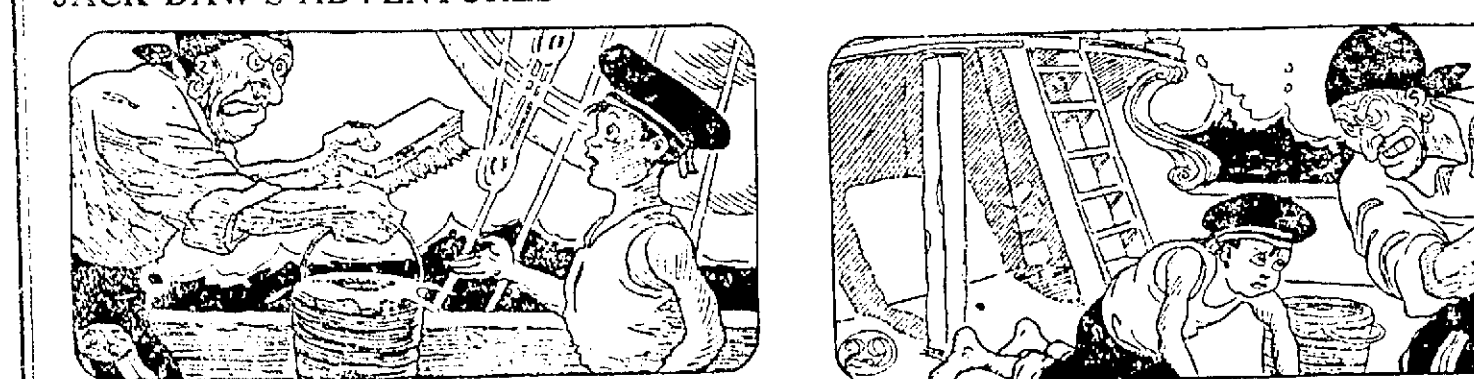
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JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES — THE PIRATE SHIP

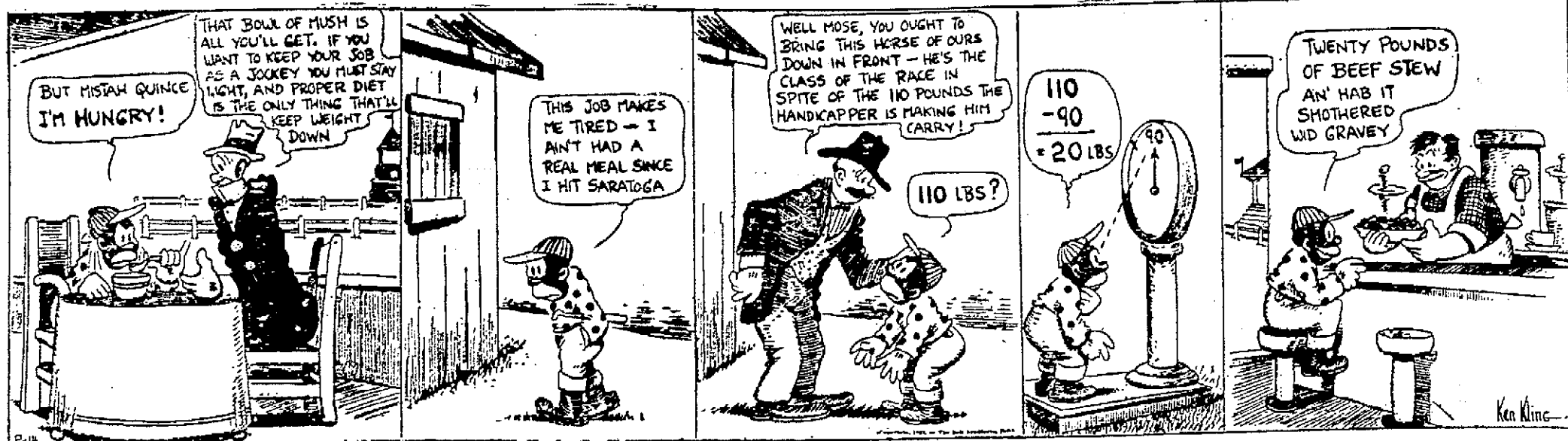


By the time Jack started down the rigging he felt a lot safer than he had when he started up. He reached the stern of the ship and then he saw a good reason. "You'll make a good swimmer," said the captain. "And now let's see how well you can scrub the deck." And with that, he handed Jack a pail and a brush.

BY ELTON



Jack worked hard for a long time. Then, when he was just about to take a rest, a great wave of water came splashing over the side of the ship. It drenched Jack. The adventurer knew it was a chin and he wondered what caused that wave. Then he spied a man in a top hat on the front end of the deck you can rest. He smiled back.



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confided ambitions to capture Grover C. Bergdoll. Griffith left on his third visit to Europe in May. He was a Sergeant in the A. E. F. on the first visit, went there last summer to write a series of newspaper articles, and ostensibly went for the same purpose the last time.

Denies American Legion Behind It

CHICAGO—National Commander at Chicago denies that the American Legion is connected with attempted abduction of Grover Bergdoll.

INDIANAPOLIS, August 14.—If reports received here that Grover C. Bergdoll said he would like to take a shot at a member of the American Legion are true, let him come to America, where he will find plenty to try out his marksmanship, Lemuel Bolles, National Adjutant, declared in a statement here last night.

"Legion members were not known as particularly fearful of German bullets during 1917 and 1918 and I do not think they have changed one bit since," Mr. Bolles said. "If Bergdoll really has desire to take a shot at a legionnaire, let him come to America, where he will find plenty to try out his marksmanship."

Bergdoll's reported assertion that the legion was connected with the recent attempt to capture the draft evader was characterized by Mr. Bolles as "bunk."

CINCINNATI, OHIO, August 14.—Although denying that the Disabled American Veterans of the World War had anything to do with the part played by C. Hoover Griffith, Hamilton, Ohio, in the recent attempt to kidnap Grover C. Bergdoll, national headquarters of the body here today announced that its entire strength would be thrown into the fight to obtain Griffith's release. An appeal has been sent to the chapters throughout the country, asking contributions for a fund to be used in the defense of the Ohioan, it was said.

MASONIC NOTICE

Special meeting of Aurora Lodge Thursday, August 16th, 8 P. M. Work in M. M. Degree.

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LOST—Gray Jersey coat out of Fred Ebert's pasture. Call phone 94-Y Scotierville Exchange. Reward. 8-14-17

LOST—\$80 at Lucasville fair, Wednesday p. m. Phone 600-X. \$10 reward. Phone 600-X. 14-31

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NOTICE—I will not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife, Elsie McGraw. (Signed) Wm. McGraw. 14-31

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Edna Smith. (Signed) Clyde C. Smith. 14-31

James A. McFarland, Dalton, Ga., National Commander, who is at headquarters here, said that there was considerable doubt in his mind whether Griffith's action were contrary to any law.

"Bergdoll is nothing more nor less than a fugitive from justice," Mr. McFarland said. "If he had gone to any other country save Germany he would have been summarily returned to the United States to serve his sentence. Germany ostensibly at peace with the United States, has refused to contain his extradition, and our Government no longer should tolerate Germany's stand."

"It is high time that the United States asked for a show down in the Bergdoll matter."

Commander McFarland said Griffith is well known to National headquarters of the D. A. V., having been employed as a national staff representative, a high official in their plan of organization.

Six Cent Increase In Price Of Wheat

CHICAGO, August 14.—While a Research Committee of the Wheat Council of the United States and the United States Chamber of Commerce here yesterday announced reports of increased production of wheat were exaggerated and railroad executives in conference with Omaha business men said they would further consider the proposal to reduce freight rates on wheat, the price of that cereal advanced in the Chicago market to \$1.01 3/4, an increase of six cents.

Depressed market conditions were attributed by the Research Committee to reports of surplus production, and resolutions adopted declared a study of conditions did not bear out estimates. A definite research program was begun which will be reported on September 24.

Railroad executives who recently refused freight rate reductions on wheat were asked to reconsider their action by the Omaha Chamber of Commerce. The executives were reported as agreeing to consider further and communicated later with the Omaha commercial organization.

The program adopted by the Research Committee was designed to develop facts concerning wheat consumption; to analyze steps taken by the Department of Agriculture during the war to stimulate wheat growing with a view of reverting the process back to normal acreage; to develop accurate figures on the cost of profitable wheat production; to develop accurate figures on the sections in which adjustment of wheat acreage is possible, with a view of concentrating on these sections.

The increase in the market price of wheat, the best since July 30, was estimated as adding \$50,000,000 value to the wheat crop.

Government Surrenders

WASHINGTON, August 14.—The Government will not further contest the authority of the Interstate Commerce Commission to consent to the lease and stock ownership of the Central Pacific Railroad by the Southern Pacific Railroad as upheld in a recent decision of the United States Court at St. Paul.

Announcement of the end of the long litigation which resulted in Supreme Court decision requiring dissolution of the two properties, was made yesterday by Attorney-General Daugherty after several conferences with President Coolidge on the administration policies involved. The Attorney-General in a statement said that, in his judgment, the conditions attached to the commission's approval of the merger fully safeguarded the public interest and that Congress in effect, by the passage of the transportation act, under which the approval was given had set up a new policy for the government in regard to such transactions.

Salesman Dies Suddenly

LANCASTER, Wis., August 13.—(By Associated Press)—William Johnson, sixty, salesman of Springfield, Ohio, was found dead with heart disease in a room, house yesterday. The body will be shipped to Anderson, Ind., where a sister and daughter reside.

Coolidge Approves Slash Of 126 Million In Government Expenditure

WASHINGTON, August 14 (By United Press).—President Calvin Coolidge approved today a slash in Government expenditures of \$126,000,000 for the next fiscal year. General Herbert M. Lord, Director of the Budget Bureau, conferred with the President and submitted estimates of expenditures contemplated by the various departments for next year. Lord's work, begun at the instance of President Harding, was wholly sanctioned by Mr. Coolidge.

The budget is based on an estimate cost of \$1,700,000,000 for operation of Government next year as compared with \$1,826,000,000 for the last fiscal year. The Government heads, members of Cabinet in charge of different departments, will be given an opportunity for providing the necessity for different increases asked.

Mr. Coolidge indicated he would sanction these increases if they were absolutely necessary. Lord has been working on the budget for months. He was ordered by Mr. Harding to slash the cost of Government as much as possible. It will be submitted to the House as soon as Congress convenes in December. The next Government fiscal year starts June 30 next.

WASHINGTON, August 14 (By the Associated Press).—President Coolidge today presided over his first Cabinet meeting, taking his place at the head of the big Cabinet table at the White House. The first session to pay his respects to his new chief.

All of those who served as the Counsellors of President Harding, excepting Secretaries Mellon and Denby, met with the new Chief Executive. Mr. Mellon is in Europe and Mr. Denby at his home in Michigan. Secretary Davis, who returned yesterday from Europe, called at the Executive office prior to the Cabinet session to pay his respects to his new chief.

Many problems incident to the change in administration leadership and policies needing immediate formation including the anthracite situation were understood to be up for discussion when the Cabinet members assembled. It was indicated that important announcement of policies might result.

Troops Sent To Patrol Tulsa

TULSA, OKLA., August 14.—Martial law descended upon Tulsa at 6 a. m. by decree of Governor J. C. Walton as the result of recent cases of mob violence. Three companies of Infantry, equipped with automatic rifles, will enforce the military rule under command of Adjutant General B. H. Markham.

Only the Police Department and the Sheriff's force will be superseded. It is understood, Courts and other civil agencies not being disturbed. Issuance of the proclamation of martial law came late yesterday after representations made in Oklahoma City to Aldrich Blake, Executive Council, or by Nathan Hantman, who was abducted here Friday night by a band of unmasked men, taken into the country and severely whipped. Hantman said narcotic and liquor sales were mentioned to him before he was whipped, but that he asserted innocence.

Charges that the Tulsa police were involved in the abduction have been made by Hantman and Mrs. Mabel West, proprietress of a rooming house, where Hantman lived. Hantman was seized on the street within a block of the police station, after he was charged. He alleges he was held by the police so that his abduction could identify him.

Big Enrollment

The annual Pike County Teachers' Institute is being held in Waverly this week and the enrollment is the largest in years.

FOR SALE

Reason for selling: Owner moving. A fine 7 room two story house at 1713 Robinson avenue, bath, electricity, cabinet mantel, reception hall, hardwood floors, basement, four room house on rear renting for \$12 per month. Street assessment paid. This is the nicest location on Robinson avenue. Nice small park in front of house. \$8800

P. W. KILCOYNE

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FOR SALE

2 apartment brick building, 5 rooms with bath in each apartment, all modern conveniences, located on a desirable down town street, just off of Chillicothe street. This is a good investment proposition. \$10,000

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Coolidge Stands On Hughes Policy

WASHINGTON, August 14.—President Coolidge's Administration was said by a White House spokesman today to stand on the position laid down by Secretary Hughes in his speech at New Haven last December in the matter of German reparations. The Government, it was declared, is ready to help in any way it can without involving itself unduly.

Coolidge Opposed To Special Session

WASHINGTON, August 14.—President Coolidge at the present time sees no occasion for a special session of Congress in advance of the regular December meeting, it was said officially today at the White House.

Cabinet Members To Remain At Posts

WASHINGTON, August 14 (By the Associated Press).—After the meeting this afternoon again was made at the White House that all of the Cabinet officials now in Washington had agreed to continue to serve in their present capacities with President Coolidge, and that there was every prospect that the Harding official family would remain intact. A spokesman for Mr. Coolidge reiterated that it was the new President's desire that everyone who served under Mr. Harding remain with the new Administration.

Removal Of Mayor Of Ohio City Asked In Formal Charges

DEFIANCE, O., August 14.—Removal of Mayor John C. C. Mariotti, is asked in charges filed today in probate court by Solicitor D. F. O'Connell, and signed by four councilmen alleging misfeasance and malfeasance in office.

Today's action followed an investigation by council under the leadership of Councilman Fred G. Conrad, which, it is alleged, revealed improper handling of funds and cash book. Examiner Diemer reported he did not believe Mayor Mariotti dishonest but that the irregularities were due to inexcusable carelessness and neglect on the part of the executive in keeping records and to his ignorance of the laws prescribing his official powers.

A recent report of State Examiner John E. Diemer, requested an investigation of the Mayor's books, which showed, it was said, that Mayor Mariotti had withheld money collected by him from deposit in the city treasury and had converted costs to made required entries in the docket and cash book. Examiner Diemer reported he did not believe Mayor Mariotti dishonest but that the irregularities were due to inexcusable carelessness and neglect on the part of the executive in keeping records and to his ignorance of the laws prescribing his official powers.

Russians Seek Aid And Asylum In U. S.; Fleeing From Soviet

SAN FRANCISCO, August 14.—(By Associated Press).—Nineteen Russian immigrants, members of the refugee party Admiral Stark led from Vladivostok to Manila and thence to America, but now availing themselves of the right of immigration officials today to appeal to Americans to save them from the dungeon or the firing squad.

Where local authorities denied them admission they appealed their case to Washington officials who upheld the decision of the San Francisco office. The Russians declared that they had no sympathy for the present Russian regime and stated they would meet imprisonment or death if sent back to that country.

Knights Assemble

PORTLAND, ORE., August 14.—The Imperial Palace of the Dramatic Order of Knights of Khorsass convened here today in the sixteenth biennial convention.

Brilliantly costumed delegations from all parts of the country have converted this week of the playground of the Knights of Pythias into an Oriental drama city where music, regalia and dull care seems to be banished.

Depends On Government

SPOKANE, WASH., August 14.—What farmers of Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Iowa, are convinced that the solution of the wheat crisis depends upon the aid of the national government. A telegram sent by John Quincy Adams, president of the Third Sick Farm to the Pike County Teachers' union of Idaho, at the close of the convention last night, asked President Coolidge to convene Congress in special session to adopt relief measures.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of the County of Clark, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on the 2nd of August, 1923, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., the real estate of the Court House in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, the following described Real Estate, situate in the County of Soloto, State of Ohio, and in the Township of Cay, to-wit:—

"All of that part of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 15, Township 2, Range 21, as lies on the South side of the public road running from the Long Farm to the Fred Sick Farm to the Chillicothe Turnpike to the Charles Davis farm, containing thirty acres, also the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 15, Township 2, Range 21, containing about Seventy (70) acres."

CYNTHIA HUNTER, Administratrix of the estate of JOHN J. LOPER, Deceased.

George W. Sheppard, Atty. Advertisement July 24-4 Tues.

EXCURSION

SUNDAY, AUG. 19TH.

Via NORFOLK & WESTERN RY. COLUMBUS AND RETURN \$2.50

Pay A Visit To The CAPITAL CITY. Leaves Portsmouth 6:55 A. M. Arrives Columbus 10:15 A. M. Returning Train Leaves Columbus 6:00 P. M. Central Standard Time. Tickets Now On Sale At City Ticket Office, 817 Fourth St.

OBITUARY

Pocket Funeral
Funeral services for James Puckett, who died Monday morning at his home, 1310 Mound street, will be held from the home with Rev. Gen. Aid Culbertson of the First Christian church in charge. Burial will be in Wheelersburg cemetery.

Ordered To Build Road

WASHINGTON, August 14.—Disregarding protests of the State of Illinois and Cairo and other communities in Southern Illinois, the Interstate Commerce Commission today authorized the Illinois Central Railroad to proceed through subsidiary corporations with the construction of a 168 mile cut off line running from Fulton, Ky., to Edgewater, Ill., at a cost of approximately \$16,500,000.

GAS MEN ARRESTED

CLEVELAND, August 14.—(By Associated Press).—Five attendants at gasoline stations were placed under arrest last night on the charge of giving short measure of gasoline to automobile owners. Three more attendants will be sought on the same charge tomorrow.

The arrests follow investigation of a number of city stations by automobile club officials for several days. Test tanks showed that a lesser quantity of gasoline was supplied than that paid for.

Damage By Lightning

GREENUP, KY., Aug. 14.—Lightning during the storm here Sunday struck three places on Front street. One bolt struck a big maple tree in the yard in front of the home of Miss Rennie Brugh. Later lightning struck a big sycamore tree in the yard near the J. E. Pollock residence and after splitting the tree leaped to the dwelling and tore the telephone from the wall. Members of the family who were at home were not shocked.

Answers Final Sommons

GREENUP, KY., Aug. 14.—(Special to the Times).—Death about five o'clock this morning claimed Mrs. Josephine Pymale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Artrip of Wayne county, W. Va. To this union five children were born: Mrs. J. E. Evans of South Webster, Milan of Lowell, Mass., and Lella at home. An infant daughter and Jetha preceded their father to the other world.

Besides his wife and children mentioned, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Allen and Mrs. Margaret Johnson of South Webster. Burial was in South Webster cemetery.

Injured In Runaway

GREENUP, KY., Aug. 14.—(Special to the Times).—William Crump, 63, well known farmer of Argillite, Ky., was seriously injured about the head in a runaway Monday. He was on his way from Greenup and was at the Falls of Little Sandy, about a mile from this place, when his horse frightened at a passing automobile. In the runaway Mr. Crump was thrown from his buggy. John Griffith tried to stop the horse after it had travelled some distance down the road. A few minutes later he came across the unconscious form of Mr. Crump in the road.

The injured man was brought to the office of Dr. Morris, where it was found that one ear was almost torn off, his scalp lacerated in a number of places, a cut over his eye and shoulders bruised. Later Mr. Crump was taken to the home of a relative, Paul Warnock, for the night and today was removed home.

Mrs. Harding To Be Guest Of McLeans

WASHINGTON, August 14.—(By Associated Press).—Mrs. Harding will leave the White House tomorrow or Wednesday to reside temporarily at the home on the outskirts of Washington of Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. McLean, it was announced today by George B. Christian, Jr., secretary to the late President Harding.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that G. E. Koch, A. B. Preston, George Smith, C. G. Davis, Charles Fritz, Charles Brown, John Lester, Fred Weller, and William H. Armstrong, as trustees of the Wheelersburg Methodist Episcopal Church of Wheelersburg, Ohio, have filed their petition in the Common Pleas Court of Soloto County, Ohio, asking for authority to sell the real estate known as the George C. Mariotti farm, in Porter Township, Soloto County, Ohio, and being the property of said religious organization to Akers, for the sum of \$18,000, for the purpose of obtaining money with which to erect a new Methodist Church building in Wheelersburg, Ohio; and that the same will be for hearing on and after four weeks from the date of this first publication.

Dated this 31st day of July, A. D. 1923.

TRUSTEES OF THE WHEELERSBURG METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF WHEELERSBURG, OHIO.

T. Beatty, Attorney. Advertisement July 31-4 Tues.

New Boston Property

6 room "L" cottage, water, gas, electricity, big lot. Price only \$4200

Brand new 8 room, modern home, basement, garage, lot 40x100, in loan for \$4000. Cheap at \$6500

6 rooms and bath in North Moreland, in fine condition, \$300 cash, balance B. and L. rates. A bargain at \$4500

5 rooms, water and gas on Harrisonville avenue, lot 40x120. \$500 cash, balance B. and L. rates. A bargain at \$4350

5 room modern cottage, practically new, it's a dandy for \$4400

5 room cottage with bath room, new paint, lot 35x120. \$500 cash takes it. Price \$4200

Dandy two story bungalow, 6 rooms and sleeping porch, modern in every respect, stationary tubs in basement. A real home at the right price \$6000

5 room modern cottage, built one year, garage, 40 ft. lot, \$500 cash, balance B. and L. rates. \$4900

5 room cottage, two lots, 80 ft. front. Price \$4500

6 room two story with 3 room cottage in rear, \$400, cash balance monthly. Cheap at \$4500

Nice 3 room brick cottage, \$700 cash, balance B. and L. rates. Price \$2700

6 room modern home on Gallia avenue, big lot, \$800 cash, balance B. and L. rates. Cheap at \$5650

3 room cottage 40 ft. lot \$300 cash, balance by the month. Price \$1500

6 room modern square house on Gallia avenue, built one year, double garage, nice lot, a bargain at \$6300

We have property all over the city. Call us about them.

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Phone 287

Earl Reed

Local friends received word, yesterday, of the death of Earl Reed, former well known Portsmouth resident at his home in Wheeling. Death was due to complications following influenza, which he contracted while here several months ago.

Mr. Reed was a well known mill man, working in the clerical department of the Portsmouth, Steubenville, and Wheeling plants of the Wheeling Steel Corporation for many years. Mr. Reed was 36 years of age at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and three children at Wheeling.

Mr. Reed left Portsmouth about fifteen years ago, when he was transferred to the Steubenville plant. Later he went to Wheeling. Last March he was temporarily assigned to the Portsmouth plant as assistant chief clerk, and he was working here when he became ill and was forced to return home.

Mr. Reed was a member of the Bigelow church, while a resident of this city.

Dr. John P. Grant

Dr. John P. Grant, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Grant, was born Nov. 22, 1850, died August 6, 1923, aged 72 years, 8 months and 15 days. His entire life, with the exception of eighteen years, which were spent in Wayne county, W. Va., where he practiced medicine successfully, was passed in South Webster. Ill-health compelled him to give up the medical profession. He was ever an untiring student, finding much pleasure in following the world progress in all branches of science.

He first was united in marriage to Miss Josephine Pymale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vayno Pymale. To this union four children were born. Clyde A., whose present whereabouts are unknown; Mrs. George Emmett of Galea Pike, West Side; Adrian L. and Eva, who together with their mother, preceded their father in death.

He was later united in marriage with Miss Emma Artrip, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Artrip of Wayne county, W. Va. To this union five children were born: Mrs. J. E. Evans of South Webster, Milan of Lowell, Mass., and Lella at home. An infant daughter and Jetha preceded their father to the other world. Besides his wife and children mentioned, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Allen and Mrs. Margaret Johnson of South Webster. Burial was in South Webster cemetery.

Dr. James F. Elder

The many friends of Dr. James F. Elder, former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of this city, and more recently located in Denver, Colo., will be pleased to know of his recent death.

He was greatly loved and admired for his stalwart Christian character, his high ideals, and his beautifully consistent life.

And his lovely wife and their two many sons were an ideally happy family and their friends most

GROUP PRACTICE THE NEXT STEP IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF HOSPITAL

SPRING RANK, WIS., August 14.—"Group practice" was put forth as the next step in the development of hospitals in America by Dr. Joseph L. DeCourcy, of Cincinnati, widely known as the "Catholic Hospital Association" here to-day.

Group medicine is one more step forward in our modern hospitalization system, said Dr. DeCourcy, and the plan can be worked both to the advantage of the physician and the patient.

The old fear and dread of hospitals that have been in the minds of the people up until fifteen or twenty years ago is slowly passing away and hospitals to-day are not considered just one step from the undertaker, but rather a logical place to be taken when ill or injured. People no longer look upon an operation at the hospital with fear, but rather as a relief from their physical troubles.

"Hospital authorities," continued Dr. DeCourcy, "are beginning to realize that they must install a large number of observation rooms for patients; the patient to remain in these rooms until a complete examination is made by the attending physician and surgeon. At present few of the hospitals have these observation rooms in adequate number."

West Virginia Gets Gas Price Cut

CHARLESTON, W. VA., August 14.—A two-cent reduction in the price of gasoline in Western Virginia was announced to-day by Crittenden Ford, State Manager for the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey. The reduction will go into effect in all parts of the state to-morrow, Mr. Ford said.

Government Plans Substitutes In Case Of Hard Coal Strike

WASHINGTON, August 14.—The new Administration under President Coolidge has approved plans to furnish necessary substitutes to relieve any fuel shortage which might result from an anthracite strike, it was announced to-day at the White House.

Confidence was expressed that the initiative taken through the Coal Commission would result in prevention of a strike, but it was emphasized that, should a suspension of production become inevitable the administration was prepared to deal with the situation in such a way as to prevent suffering among consumers.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., August 14 (By the United Press).—The anthracite coal operators have accepted the invitation of the United States Coal Commission to meet with the mine-owners' representatives at New York to-morrow, it was announced at the offices of Anthracite Operators' Association here this afternoon.

Five Prominent Men Are Involved

NEW YORK, August 14.—Five widely known men, several of them men of wealth, will be indicted for a conspiracy to conceal assets of the bankrupt stock bucketing firm of

Congressmen Bring Back Black Picture Of Europe

NEW YORK, August 14.—A picture of Germany on the brink of revolution, and of Europe to face with another devastating war, was brought home today by Senator Reed Smoot of Utah who went abroad at the request of the late President Harding to study conditions in Germany as they affect the reparations problem.

Equally doleful was the impression brought back by Representative J. B. Aswell, of Louisiana, who has also been on a tour of Europe.

Both agree that conditions abroad boded ill for America, particularly for the farmer, for whose surplus crops they said, Europe was not in a position to pay. Europe will be able to get along without American food stuffs in large quantities, they added because crops abroad, in contrast to almost everything else, are good.

Senator Smoot said he believed it still was possible for Europe to set its house in order without a period of chaos, but he declared that unless the nations acted soon, war would surely come.

While the chief difference between France, Germany and Great Britain appeared in surface to be over reparations, he said, he suspected that be-

Citizens Savings And Loan Ass'n Co. Buys Carr Property; Will Occupy It PRIMARY VOTE VERY LIGHT

A deal which will mean another fine structure for Portsmouth was closed Tuesday, when the Citizens Savings & Loan Association Co. purchased the J. F. Carr building, until a short time ago occupied by John Russell, haberdasher, at 305 Chillicothe street. The purchase price was \$45,000. The building, which is three stories high and regarded as occupying one of the most valuable points in the city, has been owned by Mr. Carr less than two years. He purchased the same from Thomas Jones, who had owned it jointly with his brother, Alex. Jones, for many years.

Wells A. Hutchins, of the Citizens Savings & Loan Association Co., stated shortly after the deal had been closed, that it was the intention of the new owners to put in an entirely new front end to remodel the building from basement to top. When the renovations are completed it will be one of the prettiest buildings in the city and will be so arranged as to meet the requirements of the savings company, which has been cramped for space in its present quarters in the First National Bank Building. The Citizens Savings & Loan Association Co. will, quite likely, occupy the building on November first, which will be its thirty-third birthday anniversary. Contracts for the remodeling will be let at once and the work pushed to an early completion.

It was announced that the Hutchins & Mann Co., will also occupy the new quarters.

As stated above the Citizens Savings & Loan Association Co. is in its thirty-third year. Every year has shown an increase and the company points with considerable pride to its record of never having lost a single penny. Its assets today are more than \$2,000,000.00, which speaks volumes for the splendid management always characterizing its steady growth. The company is to be congratulated upon securing this splendid property.

Boy Scout Is Injured

Paul W. Peed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie W. Peed, of 1714 Charles street, who was a member of the Boy Scout party taking the truck hike to Cedar Point during the past week, is confined to his home suffering with a badly inflamed right leg and feet which resulted from an injury he received while in swimming in Lake Erie at Rye Beach. The lad received first aid immediately after the accident and later had the injury x-rayed by Dr. Jolly of Marion, who is a life long friend of Dr. W. G. Cheney of Gallia avenue, New Boston. Young Peed was unable to take part in the funeral procession for the late President Harding, but he was taken to the cemetery the next morning in an automobile to see the many floral designs.

Bonds Are Forfeited

J. G. Johnson and Ray Gibbons, arrested on disorderly conduct charges, forfeited \$1120 bonds by failing to appear in court Tuesday.

Is Improving
R. C. Spangler of the Scioto Trail, who has been ill several days is improving.

Two Small Children Hit By Automobile

Two more accidents in which small children were run down by autos were recorded yesterday.

Ernestine Cruse, little Second-street miss, was injured slightly when she was struck by a Ford roadster driven by Benjamin Sparks, as she was running across Madison street on her way to the Hanson grocery yesterday.

Both the little girl and the driver of the machine exercised presence of mind enough to avert what might have been a serious accident, bystanders relate.

Sparks swerved the machine to one side, and the little girl, although unable to check her speed, threw herself on the running board of the car. She was not injured.

The second accident occurred yesterday when Betty Jones, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, 1506 Chillicothe street, ran across Fifteenth street from where she was playing, on the north side of the street just above Chillicothe to answer the call of her grandmother, Mrs. C. F. Smith. The tot ran directly in front of a bakery truck driven by Gilbert Phillips, of Mabert road. She was knocked down by a fender and suffered a broken collarbone and numerous bruises.

The truck driver an employee of the Chillicothe Bakery, who was traveling east on Fifteenth street, said he did not see the child and did not know he had struck her until he heard her cries.

Dr. Albert Bernat was called to attend the injured girl. An x-ray taken by Virgil Fowler showed that she had sustained a broken right collar bone.

Allege Wife Wired Husband In Bed

When the cases of Mrs. Mary Zornes and daughter Ethel, charged with disorderly conduct, came up for hearing in Municipal Court Tuesday, they were continued pending good behavior. The mother and daughter were taken into custody last Friday morning at their home, 431 Fifth street, following trouble with the police.

According to the police, when they arrived at the house, they found Mrs. Zornes had wired her husband, Jack Zornes, in bed, a hay-binding wire being used to turn the trick. According to the officers, Jack Zornes was drunk and when he was released from the bed by the officer he attacked him. While he was being taken into custody Mrs. Zornes is said to have taken a hand in an effort to prevent her husband's arrest. When the officer made a move to take the mother along, too, she took a daughter is said to have brought a stove lid into play and threatened the officer. Yesterday Zornes forfeited a \$1120 bond.

Kiwanians To Visit Girl Scout Camp

Members of the Kiwanis Club will be entertained at the Girl Scout camp, Galeana pike, West Side, Thursday afternoon and evening. As every member of the Kiwanis Club contributes to the establishment of this camp, all are expected to be present as the girls will serve a delicious supper at 5:30. Every Kiwanian is urged to be at the camp not later than 5 p. m.

Enjoyed Real Trip Up The St. Lawrence

Dr. W. D. Tremper and F. B. M. Corson returned yesterday evening from a delightful eleven days' trip to the mouth of the St. Lawrence river. They recommend the trip for an ideal vacation.

They left Cleveland for Buffalo on one steamer, changing there for a different boat to Toronto. At Toronto they took a large boat to Prescott. There they took a smaller boat to the rapids in the St. Lawrence might be passed.

From Montreal, the next port for a change of vessels, a very large boat took them to Quebec. The last change at Quebec, was to a huge ocean liner which traveled to the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

"From Quebec during the remainder of the trip we wore our overcoats," Dr. Tremper said.

On the return trip Dr. Tremper and Mr. Corson stopped at Quebec for three days.

The city, Mr. Tremper told, is old and quaint and foreign. More than 90 per cent of the population is French. The only people on the streets, the Portsmouth men tell, were either tourists who didn't know any more than they or Frenchmen whom they couldn't understand.

At the Hotel Frontenac where they stayed they met Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Huestis, Mr. and Mrs. John Lowry, Mr. Phelps Leete and Rev. and Mrs. G. M. Howerton of this city.

Two days were spent in Montreal, also. There on last Friday they heard an excellent service in honor of the late President Harding conducted by an English pastor from a Church of England church.

Mr. Tremper and Mr. Corson also enjoyed a trip on the Saguenay river but were not so much impressed with the scenery because of the lovely environment near Portsmouth on the Ohio.

Chance To Get Free Flying Scholarship

(Washington Press Bureau of The Portsmouth Times)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 14.—(Special).—Portsmouth has been selected as one of the cities in which the National Aeronautic Association beginning August 15 will offer several free flying scholarships in an effort to stimulate renewed interest in aviation and to recruit the ranks of civilian fliers, it was announced at headquarters of the association here today.

In Portsmouth, as in every other city in the country where the contest is to be conducted, one scholarship has been allotted for each 25,000 population. These scholarships are to be earned by candidates arousing public sentiment in the community in support of national aeronautics and effectively trying up that sentiment through membership in the National Aeronautic Association with the nation-wide campaign now under way by the association to put "America First in the Air."

The association has made arrangements with leading flying schools of the country to train all candidates who qualify to fly, without cost of tuition.

The contest is to begin August 15. In order to receive a free scholarship every candidate must secure at least 100 new members for the National Aeronautic Association. The association hopes by this method to establish strong chapters of the organization in all the leading cities of the country. With these chapters, interest in aviation will not only be revived among civilians but many of the flying schools closed since the war will be opened again.

In making public the nation-wide contests the announcement of the association says:

"Every American must view with concern the rapid diminishing of the splendid army of fliers, principally through the settling down to the routine of business life.

"These thinning ranks are not being replenished by fresh men in part because of the cost of learning to fly. For this reason the National Aeronautic Association is offering free flying scholarships to young men and women to stimulate flying among civilians.

"Candidates for free scholarship must be clean cut young men or women, 17 years of age, of high standing in the community. They must be physically fit to fly. If under age, candidates must have parents' or guardian's consent to enter the contest. No obligation to enlist or enter any kind of service is involved.

"As this campaign will develop keen competition throughout the country, a Curtiss JN-4D airplane, with engine, equipped to fly, will be awarded to the winner of a free flying scholarship who makes the best showing in the campaign anywhere in the United States."

New Buick Salesroom Is A Beauty

Now that the new Buick models are here with their array of improvements A. A. Macdonnell, local Buick agent, in order to keep up with the changes, is remodeling his show room on Gallia street. He has had the room entirely refinished, new woodwork placed in the walls and ceiling, and new furniture and electric fixtures have been installed. Special paint has been ordered for the floors. Another feature is the powerful flood lights used to show up the room after night. This lighting effect is something new in Portsmouth. One of these is to be placed on each side of the room, showing all the features of the new Buicks. In all, it is to be one of the most up-to-date showrooms in the city, capable of holding five cars for display purposes.

Mr. Macdonnell is expecting a shipment of three cars to arrive here either tomorrow or Thursday and they will be the first to be placed in the show room since it has been remodeled.

A new electric sign has been purchased and placed on the front of the building and is expected to be finished within the next few days. The sign is 33 by 12 feet.

Plan Pittsburg To Memphis Boat Line

A letter from the John C. Ryan and Company, of Memphis, Tenn., to the Chamber of Commerce, bridges word of the proposed starting of a steam packet line system from Pittsburg to Memphis. A proposed schedule provides for six sailings per month with freight rates that would be approximately 70 per cent of rail rates. The new firm is asking the co-operation of local shippers and seeks an expression from them as to the advisability of such a packet line.

Housing Corporation To Close Deal For Site For New Homes

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Portsmouth Industrial Housing Corporation tonight, a deal is expected to be closed whereby land will be bought for the new red and wire mill employees. At a meeting last night the different sites under option and consideration were discussed. Several sites are in or near North Moreland, while others are in the village of New Boston.

While a couple of the sites will provide plenty of room for the erection of about 80 dwellings others are only large enough for about 65 or 70 houses. Just which site is selected and purchased will depend on the number of houses to be erected.

Options which were to end last night were extended one day and action is sure to be taken tonight.

Two proposed sites in North Moreland are near Munn's Run pike, another is the Peabody property at the head of Glenwood avenue, New Boston, another is on Gallia pike east of Millbrook lake.

19 Take Examination Chillicothe Boy Missing

Nineteen, seventeen women and two men, from all sections of the county, took examinations at the office of County School Superintendent E. O. McCowen today. They passed September 4.

Local authorities yesterday received word from Chief of Police Fox of Chillicothe to be on the lookout for Earl Spooks, member of a prominent family in that city, who has been missing since June 2. On June 3 the boy was seen in Toledo, but that was the last trace found of him. It is feared he has met with foul play.

Things Seen In Portsmouth

Six year old child pumping up sidewalk on Second street watching an inner tube while the father put on a tire.

Stravishly dressed young woman walking up Chillicothe industrially picking her teeth.

All members of the neighborhood business houses standing on the sidewalk on Second street watching the telephone company setting up a new telephone pole.

Republican candidate for mayor in New Boston doing campaign work in a Ford he had borrowed from a Democratic friend.

With interest at low ebb, electors of the city struggled to the polls, far and near today, to participate in the nominating primaries and from all indications the smallest vote ever recorded in the history of the city in a similar election is being cast.

With but two contests offered on the two municipal tickets, the Republicans having both, there was little incentive for the electors going to the polls and it was predicted this afternoon by election officials that only less than a fourth of the total vote of the city would be cast, judging from reports received from several precincts.

In Precinct A of the Third ward but seven ballots had been cast at noon, out of a total voting strength of nearly 500 and in Precinct E of the First ward 24 votes had been recorded at 2 p. m., 18 of these were Republican and 6 Democrats, while in Precinct B of Second ward 23 were cast, 27 being Republicans and 2 Democrats.

In the one precinct from New Boston it was indicated that a much heavier vote was being polled as 104 ballots had been cast out of a possible 300.

The two contests on the Republican side in this city is the three-cornered race between James G. Bauer for the city auditor and William R. Sprague is contesting with Harry Ball for the endorsement for Municipal judge.

Mrs. Arthur Keller and son, William, and the Misses Charlotte and Barbara Brandel have returned from a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Marquette of Cincinnati. Mrs. Marquette and daughter, Elizabeth, accompanied them home for a visit.

Charles Revenough and William Weber of Columbus have returned home after enjoying the week-end as the guests of friends in Portsmouth.

Miss Emma Sayer of Huntington left today after spending a month with Miss Ruth Killoyne of Park avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Evans of City View will entertain the members of the Oldtown church at the Evans camp on Turkey Creek. All those going are requested to meet at Smith's store at nine o'clock, where transportation will be furnished to the camp. Members are asked to bring their own lunch.

Mrs. Thomas Adams of 1730 Fifth street and his guests, Mrs. Anna Clark and Miss Aulene Peters of Covington, Indiana, left yesterday afternoon for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Peters of Jackson.

Mrs. Carl Bode of 1721 Eighth street entertained at dinner Sunday Miss Doris Davis, Miss Bess Miller, Miss Elizabeth Lakeman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunlap, Messrs. Carl Evans, Richard Finton, of Columbus, and Messrs. William Rhodes, Clyde Harvard, Howard Davis and John Lewis of this city.

Little Miss Violet Benson was tendered a party at her home, 1405 High street by her mother and aunts, Mrs. A. Benson, Mrs. A. Green, Misses Dorothy Lewis and Beatrice Lewis. The rooms of the Benson home were attractively arranged for the occasion with summer flowers and greenery, and the evening was delightfully spent in games and various forms of amusement. Miss Katherine Colter delighted the guests with music and songs.

Those present included the Misses Violet Benson, Gertrude Moore, Dorothy Grooms, Mrs. Albert Gleim and son, Robert, Mrs. Clara Lewis and niece, Beatrice Moore, Mrs. Kate Pollard, and son Edward and daughter, Marie, Mrs. Henry Lewis and daughters, Dorothy and Marjorie, Mrs. Ambrose Benson and daughters, Ruby and Louella and Miss Eulanda Smith, Messrs. Claude and Clyde Brooms.

The Oldtown church of the West Side has arranged to have the Davis bus to take the members of the Oldtown Sunday School to the Union picnic of the Oldtown, Berkel and Friendship Sunday Schools, Saturday. The bus will leave Dry Run promptly at nine o'clock and all members will be transported free of charge. If necessary a second trip will be made for those having no way of going.

An official board meeting of the Long Run United Brethren church will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The pastor urges all the members of the official board and members of the Sunday School and other officers to be present, as matters of importance will come up for discussion.

One of the most delightful parties of the season was given Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Litter of 1528 High street. The affair was arranged in honor of Mrs. Litter's birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in various social pastimes and at a late hour a delicious refreshment course of ice cream and cake was served to the following guests:

Mrs. W. S. Satory, Mrs. A. L. Hall, Mrs. C. H. Widdig, Mrs. W. Bishop, Mrs. F. Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cunningham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cunningham and family, the Misses Fannie Seags, Irene Davis, Estelle Widdig, Helen and Mildred Litter and Ollie Widdig.

Messrs. Walter Daniels, Marvin White, Ted Murphy and Oakley Stout.

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Resources \$7,000,000.00

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Mid Week Specials

Up to 50c Lawn Baby Caps for	19c
98c grade Sateen Camisoles, all colors,	59c
Men's and Boys' Straw Hats to close	10c
Extra size unbleached Turkish Towels	25c
4 quart Grey Granite Covered Kettle for	25c
14 quart Grey Granite Dish Pan for	39c
White lined Granite Water Pails	49c
Extra heavy House Brooms for	59c
Women's White Wash Skirts, soiled,	49c
Final clean up Women's Hats for	10c

You Can Always Get It At

Pepper's

POPULAR PRICE STORE

"World Do Move"; Eleven Year Old Boy Wins Canning Honors Over Four Girls

Food Clubs are for girls and Pig Clubs for boys, but the fact did not keep Fred Boynton, eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boynton of Havrebill, from joining the Girls' Food Club at that place. This lad liked to cook and can meat and just how well he has progressed in this art may be judged from the fact that he won first prize in food canning demonstrations last week at the Scioto County Fair.

And according to County Farm Agent W. F. Gahn he is probably the first boy in the State of Ohio who has ever won a trip to Columbus as a Food Club member.

Fred won the first prize in the first year work exhibits. His sister Juanita Boynton, won first place in the second year work, and Ruth Coles, in the third year work. They also receive free trip to Columbus.

Fred is a member of the Havrebill Pig Club and does of good work but did not carry off any honors in that line at the fair. He shines as a food club member.

Paul H. Helt, of Sunshine community, was the only boy who completed his work in the Pig Club soy and

litter class, won a prize of \$12. Other prize winners not previously announced follow:

Pig Club Breeding Class
First—Earl Bennett, free trip to Columbus during Club Week.
Second—Ralph Groh, \$8.
Third—William Mercer, \$7.
Fourth—Martin Hammerstein, \$6.
Fifth—Jacob Hammerstein, \$5.
Sixth—Octavo Nesbit, \$4.
Seventh—Hugh R. Hoover, \$3.
All other winners received a book, Plunk's "Study of Farm Animals."

Pig Club Market Class
First—Charles Schnitzler, free trip to Columbus.
Second—Martin Crabtree, \$8.
Third—Dana Dodge, \$7.
Fourth—Chester Compton, \$6.

Harrisonville Reunion Next Friday

Everything is "all set" for the annual Harrisonville reunion and picnic next Friday, August 17, when thousands of men, women and children from Scioto and adjoining counties will gather at the historic Coriell's grove, one mile east of the village, to mingle in the throng and enjoy an outing for a day.

The affair promises to take on the form of a homecoming celebration, an old-fashioned meeting with every-

body bringing baskets filled with good things to eat. From afar will come numerous persons, who in former days lived in and about the Minford vicinity, to enjoy the renewal of acquaintances and exchange reminiscences of the long ago.

The picnic will be an all-day affair and all veterans of the civil war will be special guests of honor of the committee in charge, which has arranged a splendid program for the entertainment of all visitors. There

Boy Scouts Home From Real Trip; Four Assisted In Harding Funeral

The Boy Scouts truck hike which was the reward for meritorious work among the Boy Scouts of the city ended with their return to Portsmouth Sunday. Nine glorious days the boys were on the trip, enjoying the visit with other troops and the delightful camping life.

Although they were unfortunate in having a great deal of rainy weather, the boys did not meet with any discomfort on their hike. The breakdowns which occurred at too frequent intervals to make the desired speed served only as incidents which enhanced the fun of the party.

Their excellent position during the ceremony was directly due to Mr. Henderson's being one of two men who directed the traffic during the services.

Those boys who were most advanced in the Boy Scout camp work, those who did the most work in selling tickets for the trip, and in selling raffles were the ones who were privileged to take the hike. Scout Executive L. T. Henderson and assistant Scout Executive Paul Hobbs accompanied the boys.

Leaving Portsmouth about 10:30 Friday morning the boys expected to make Columbus by evening. They did not reckon with truck breakdowns which held them up to such an extent that they felt lucky indeed to hit Chillicothe by night time.

At daylight Sunday the last lap of the return trip was started. Three miles out of Chillicothe another breakdown stopped the party. When they finally reached the city, a severe storm broke out and delayed them longer. When the storm ceased the boys started for Portsmouth, reaching here about 7 o'clock in the evening.

Chillicothe Scouts entertained the Portsmouth group at their summer grounds, Camp Poco Hono, about five miles from the city. Remaining there all night, they were treated royally by their fellow scouts.

Early Saturday they began the trip to Columbus, stopping at the Logan Elm on the way.

At Columbus the Scouts enjoyed the hospitality of the Columbus troops at Camp Harbroughs, 14 miles beyond the city, the largest Scout camp east of the Rockies. Two of the 22 huge tents were given over to the use of the Portsmouth boys.

The stay at this camp was one of the most enjoyable features of the entire trip. One hundred and ninety Scouts at one camp, with all the conveniences of home life is a sight that is not often seen.

Delaware was the next stopping place. Monday morning the party reached the town, going through the Western University before settling out for Marion and Kenton.

At Kenton, in the home of Mr. Henderson's parents, the boys were entertained by Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Henderson. Supper and breakfast were served to the entire group cafeteria style, the boys marching through the house with their mess pots helping themselves to the delectable home cooking.

Through the courtesy of Rev. Henderson the doors of the Presbyterian church were thrown open for sleeping quarters for the Portsmouth Scouts. Early Monday evening a short pep meeting was held with the Kenton Scouts, after which the Portsmouth delegation were their guests at a picture show party.

Leaving Kenton and their gracious host and hostess the following morning the party reached Sandusky about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. When they finally reached Cedar Point, their destination, they were informed that they would not be permitted to

camp there. Accordingly, they pushed on to Rye Beach where they pitched their tents.

Wednesday was an all-day outing at the lake resort. The boys report that they rode on everything rideable, saw everything seeable, and did everything doable.

After so delightful an outing the Scouts pulled up stakes early Thursday morning and started for Sandusky where they received the only mail from home folks. They were fortunate in seeing the enormous Sells-Floto circus parade.

Thursday night the boys spent at the Bucyrus fair grounds.

The early start for Marion on Friday morning did not put them in the city early because of a breakdown which caught them about two miles outside the city limits. The boys hiked into the city, where they were honored with being asked to be among the guard to direct traffic at the Harding home and at the cemetery.

Four of the Scouts, Paul Hobbs, Gilbert and Richard Fuller, and Frank Lewis, were granted special duty under Colonel Bush, who had charge of all the funeral arrangements, at the late President's home. Helping the pallbearers with the chairs and assisting in many other ways, the duties they performed were privileges.

Few of the Scouts assisting in the arrangements were fortunate enough to see the body of Mr. Harding. Stepping back to make way for other guests in characteristic Scout fashion, most of the boys forfeited the chance to see the loved man.

The position of these Portsmouth boys, however, was such that they were able to view the body with ease.

The others in the Portsmouth party stood in line at the funeral procession, all of them being on guard at the cemetery, close to the presidential party and the vault wherein the body of the late President was laid to rest.

Moses Says Coolidge Ought To Have Solid New England Delegation

CONCORD, N. H., August 14—United States Senator George H. Moses in a statement issued today declared that President Coolidge would be a candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination in 1924 and that he ought to have a solid New England delegation.

Senator Moses' statement said: "President Harding's death has made a great change in the political landscape and President Coolidge is now an outstanding figure on the Republican horizon. He will undoubtedly be a candidate for the nomination in the next Republican convention and ought to be able to take a solid New England delegation with him."

To Stand Steadfast

"New England Republican have not hitherto been able to produce very effective team work in national conventions. We tried it with James G.

Blaine, and with James S. Reed of Maine, and with John Weeks and Leonard Wood, each a native of New Hampshire and a resident of Massachusetts. In each of these four efforts to nominate a New Englander, either the State of Vermont or the State of Massachusetts or both of them played the part of the off ox.

"However, President Coolidge, is a native of Vermont and a resident of Massachusetts and these two states will now stand steadfast. President Coolidge ought to count upon going into the next national convention with the eighty-eight votes of New England which will be more than those of either Pennsylvania or Illinois and only two less than those of New York."

"Senator Cummins says we will have a dozen candidates. It may be. Just now Coolidge is the only one in sight in New England."

Solution Of European Situation May Be Put Up To The United States

PARIS, August 14—(By the A. P.)—A "yellow book" of diplomatic documents issued today by the French government brings out clearly that the United States ultimately will be asked by the allies how much of the inter-allied debts she expects to be paid.

The book contains 37 telegrams and letters, most of them between Premier Poincare and French ambassadors. They are dated from May 2 to August 3 and deal with the Ruhr situation, reparations, debts and the British question.

Premier Poincare puts his position plainly in a June 12 message to the French ambassador in London. He instructs the ambassador, among other things, to tell Lord Curzon, the British foreign secretary, that "it is the problem of inter-allied debts which prevents us from telling Germany now the exact amount she owes us."

The Official Message.

The message adds: "The solution of this problem is in the hands of England, first of all, and the United States afterward. The latter can be approached in a common accord by the allies when they have agreed upon a formula and it has become evident everything depends only upon the attitude of the government at Washington."

The yellow book was issued as a reply to the British action in announcing that the world would be called upon to judge the present situation.

documents, which hitherto had not been published consist mostly of instructions to the ambassadors on how to present the French viewpoint on the situation.

They set out in great detail and often in the exact language, declarations already made by the premier publicly and that Poincare's absolute conviction is that Germany can pay, must pay and will pay, because France will follow a policy of making it easier to pay than to stand the pressure in the Ruhr.

Three Are Rescued From Miami Canal

CINCINNATI, August 14—(By Associated Press)—But for the heroic action of a father and his son, three Springfield, Ohio men probably would have lost their lives in the Ohio-Miami Canal at Carriage today when their automobile plunged down a 12 foot bank and turned over, pinning the occupants under three feet of water.

The car was occupied by Andrew Szian, 30, Ernest Danavik, 21, and John Vance, 21, who were driving from their homes in Springfield to Cincinnati. As they started to cross a bridge, Vance, who was driving, misjudged the road and missed the bridge.

The car plunged over the bank of the canal, turned a somersault and landed upside down. Louis Tombley and his son Louis Jr., 17, who were walking near-by saw the accident and

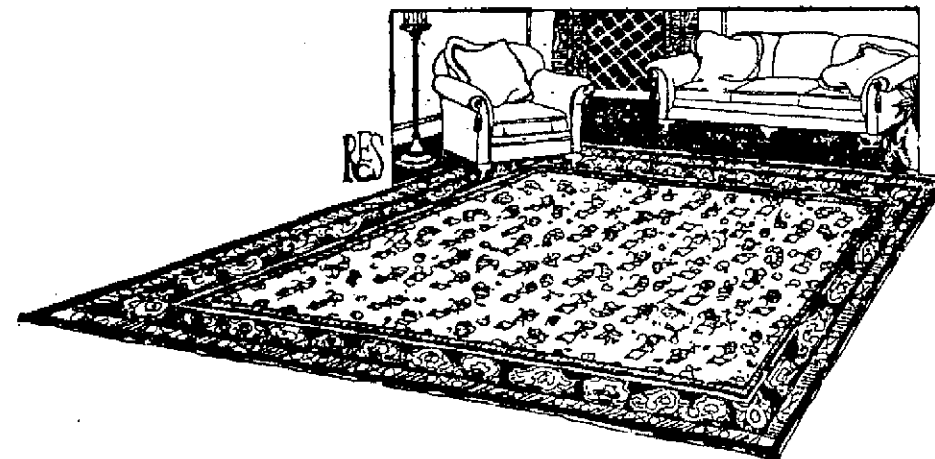


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More folks than ever are buying Furniture, Stoves and Rugs at our AUGUST SALE, Because they are looking carefully before they are buying!

STEINKAMP'S Prices are always lower than the stores operating in the high rent district. Now these prices are cut still lower — giving you an actual cash saving of 25 per cent.

The largest stock, the best displays, the lowest prices—THE GREATEST SAVINGS FOR YOU — AT STEINKAMP'S AUGUST SALE.



\$29.50 All Wool Seamless 9x12 Brussels Rugs, \$17.67

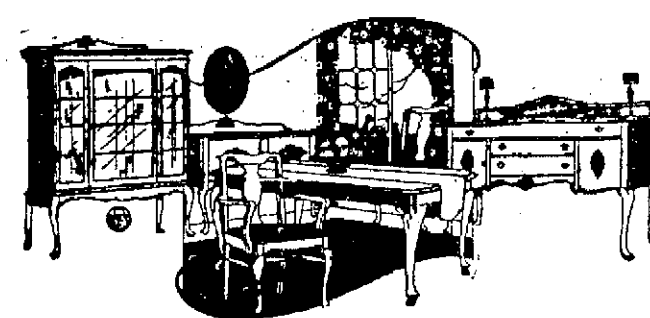
Rugs 1/4 Off

\$37.50 All Wool 9x12 Brussels Rug now \$25.00
\$42.50 All Wool 9x12 Brussels Rug now \$28.34
\$55.00 Axminster Rug, 9x12 size now \$36.37
\$70.00 Axminster Rug, 9x12 size \$46.67
\$44.50 Seamless Velvet, 9x12 Rugs, now \$29.67
\$59.50 Seamless Velvet 9x12 Rugs now \$39.67

\$20 9x12 Wool Fibre Rugs, \$11.95

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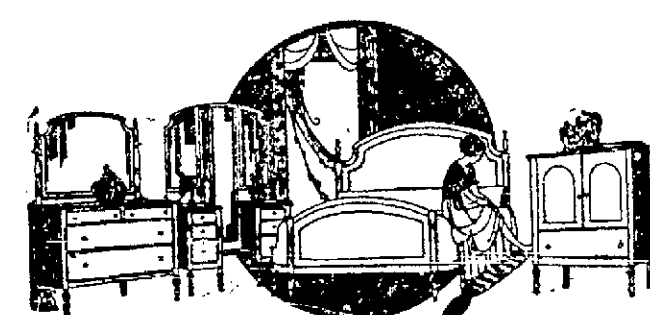
Dining Room Furniture



\$200 8 Piece Dining Room Suites Now \$133.34
\$250 9 Piece Dining Room Suites Now \$166.67
\$300 9 Piece Dining Room Suites Now \$200.00
\$375 9 Piece Dining Room Suites Now \$250.00
\$450 9 Piece Dining Room Suites Now \$300.00
\$500 9 Piece Dining Room Suites Now \$333.34
\$600 9 Piece Dining Room Suites Now \$400.00

Eight Piece Walnut Finish Dining Room Suite, (Buffet, Table and 6 Chairs) \$109.75

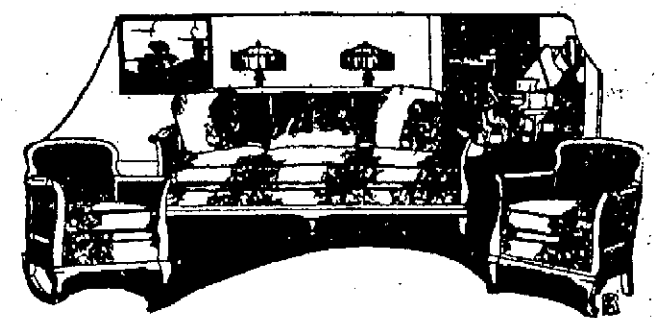
Bed Room Suites



\$150.00 Bed Room Suites \$100.00
\$200.00 Bed Room Suites \$133.34
\$250 Bed Room Suites \$166.67
\$300 Bed Room Suites \$200.00
\$375 Bed Room Suites \$250.00
\$450 Bed Room Suites \$300.00
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\$600 Bed Room Suites \$400.00

Three Piece Walnut Finish Bed Room Suite, (chiffonette, dresser, bed, beautifully finished.) Price \$69.75

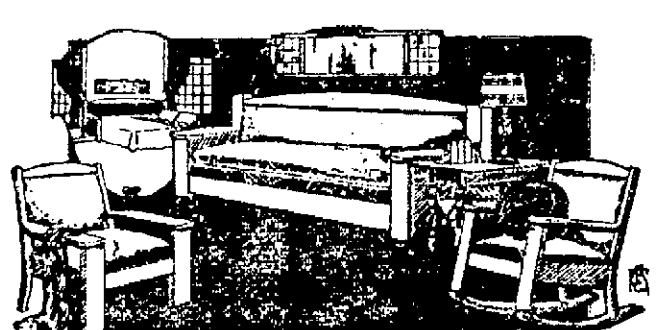
Living Room Furniture



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\$500 Living Room Suites Now \$333.34

Beautiful Three Piece Cane Mahogany, Living Room Suite; covered in velour \$69.75

Three Piece Duofold Suites \$59.75



Large roomy Duofold, made of genuine Oak upholstered in best quality imitation elather. Can be instantly converted into a full size roomy bed. Large roomy comfortable rocker and chair to match.

Come To See This Suite

3 Squares From The Path Of High Prices

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Camel Cigarettes

Now 13c A Pack 2 For 25c

See our nifty line of Cigarette Holders. The very latest. Beautiful and artistic designs, all colors. Amber, Ivory or Gold.

Prices 75c, 50c, 35c and 25c.

WURSTER'S

Drug Store
The Rexall Store
419 Chillicothe Street

Reactionary Tone On Bond Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Weakness of French and Belgian bonds in sympathy with the loss of foreign exchange and the early closing of the market today also yielded a reactionary tone with speculative railroad and oil company issues yielding the most to selling pressure. Belgian 7½% broke 2 points, and French 8½% 1½, while losses of 1 to 1½ points broke registered by French 7½, Swiss 6½, Seine 7½, Belgian 8½ and Czechoslovakian 8½.

U. S. BONDS	High	Low	P. M.
Liberty 3½s	100.00	99.85	100.00
Liberty 4½s	98.00	97.85	98.00
Liberty 5½s	96.00	95.85	96.00
Liberty 6½s	94.00	93.85	94.00
Liberty 7½s	92.00	91.85	92.00
Liberty 8½s	90.00	89.85	90.00
Liberty 9½s	88.00	87.85	88.00
U. S. Government 4½s	99.21	99.18	99.18

FOREIGN	High	Low	P. M.
Anten Jurgens Marg Works 6s	74 1/4	74 1/4	74 1/4
Argentine 7s	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Austrian Govt. 4½s	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
City of Bordeaux 6s	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
City of Genoa 5½s	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
City of Greater Prague 7½s	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
City of Rio de Janeiro 8½s	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Czechoslovak Republic 8½s	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Danish Municipal 8s	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Department of Selva 7s	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Dom. of Canada 5½s	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Dutch East Indies 5½s	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
French Republic 5s	154 1/4	154 1/4	154 1/4
French Republic 7½s	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Holland-American 10s	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Japanese 1st 4½s	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Kingdom of Belgium 8s	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Kingdom of Belgium 7½s	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Kingdom of Denmark 6s	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Kingdom of Italy 5½s	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Kingdom of Norway 6s	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Kingdom of Sweden 6s	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Paris-Lyon-Mediterr. 6s	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Republic of Bolivia 8s	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Republic of Chile 8s, 1916	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Republic of Chile 7s	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Republic of Haiti 6s, 1912	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
State of Queensland 7s	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
U. K. of S. Brazil 5s, 1913	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
U. S. of Mexico 4s	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2

RAILROAD AND MISCELLANEOUS	High	Low	P. M.
American Agricultural Chemical 7½s	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
American Smelters 5s	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
American Sugar 6s	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
American Tel. and Tel. Co. 5s	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Amer. Water Works 7s, 1923	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Anacostia Copper 7s, 1923	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Armour and Company 4½s	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
At. T. and S. N. Co. 4½s	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 4½s	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Bell Tel. of Penna. 1st and 2d 5s	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 5½s	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Canary Sugar 7s	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Canadian Pacific 4½s	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Central Leather 7s	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Central Pacific 4½s	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Chicago and Alton 3½s	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Chic. Burl. & Quincy Ref. 5s A	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Chic. & West Illinois 5s	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Chic. Gr. Western 4½s	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Chic. Mil. and St. Paul 4½s	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Chic. Mil. and St. Paul 5s, 1923	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Chicago Railway 5s	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Chic. R. & P. Ref. 4½s	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Chic. R. & P. Ref. 5s	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Chic. R. & P. Ref. 6s	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Cleveland Union Terminal 5½s	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Commonwealth Power 6s	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar 6s	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande Ref. 5s	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Detroit Edison 6s	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
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Detroit Edison 100s	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2

Chile Copper 6s	4	99 1/4	99 1/4	95
Cleveland C. & St. Louis ref. 6s A	1	101 1/2	101 1/2	101
Cleveland Union Terminal 5 1/2s	8	102 1/2	102 1/2	102
Commonwealth Power 6s	4	86 3/4	86	80
Cuba Cane Sugar def. 6s	11	91	90 1/2	90
Denver and Rio Grande ref. 5s	10	43	43	42
Detroit Edison	2	101 1/4	101	101
Detroit United Ry. 7 1/2s	11	85 1/2	85 1/2	85
without de Nemours 7 1/2s	2	106 1/2	106 1/2	106
Duquesne Light 6s	2	101 1/2	101 1/2	101
Eastern Cuba Sugar 7 1/2s	22	98 1/2	98	98
Empire Gas and Fuel 7 1/2s cts	12	90 1/4	89 1/2	89
Gen. sec. 6s	14	98 1/2	97 1/2	97
Goodrich 6 1/2s	13	99 1/2	99 1/2	99
Goodyear Tire 5s 1911	4	115 1/2	115 1/2	115
Great Northern 7 1/2 A	56	106 1/2	106	106
Great Northern 5 1/2 A	3	98	97 1/2	97
Hershey Chocolate 6s	6	98 1/2	98 1/2	98
Humble Oil and Ref. 5 1/2s	2	97 1/2	97	97
Illinois Bell Tel. ref. 6s	14	91 1/2	91 1/2	91

Eighteen Months on the Trail of Cannibals

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VIII.—Malekula's Great Yam Festival

It was the season of the great annual yam festival of Malekula, in the northern part of the New Hebrides Islands, and we learned that Rano Island had already begun its celebration and that a great pig feast was in course of preparation on Atchin, a small island off the northeast coast of Malekula.

"It is the great sight of the New Hebrides," Francis, the French pilot whom we had taken aboard at the capital of those islands, informed me, "and none too safe if you happen in at the wrong time. Those savages dance in a religious frenzy for twenty-four hours, and then sacrifice their pigs to the Devil-Devil and gorge themselves till they can't move. Then they go on to the next place of celebration on their own island or another, and keep it up for thirty days."

We promptly shaped our course for Atchin Island, where a couple of Australian Seventh Day Adventists had set up a small mission house. On the way we sailed among clusters of small islands and found a protected anchorage close to a sandy beach in the lee of Norsup Island.

Making Friends

For quite a while no one appeared. Like most of the world tribes of the New Hebrides, these were timid when they saw my ship. Then, hearing no gunfire, one or two men came down to the beach, and finally several put out in their canoes to investigate us, but kept what seemed to them, a safe distance.

We made every signal we could think of to indicate friendship and the dispensing of gifts, but with no result. Finally we moved the American flag from the staff to the main truck. Perhaps that helped to reassure the savages that we were not a labor recruiting vessel or a gunboat, on which they were accustomed to seeing the French or British flag. They paddled within hailing distance, and we asked if they would bring us some bananas and yams. They did. And their fellows, seeing no harm in our friendly intentions, soon became brave enough to come aboard and make themselves at home, seeming to relish the freedom of sitting in chairs and spreading themselves all over the deck. A few sticks of tobacco quickly cemented our friendship.

As soon as the islanders learned what we were about there was no trouble in lining up the camera. None of the men stood over five feet two or three inches, and they wore only the smallest whisk or leaf, and such ornaments as beads, a piece of pigtail coiled up through the lobes of the ears, or a comb in their ill-kept, short, bushy hair. Fortunately, the camera could not chronicle the dirty-black color of their skin nor the odor they carried around with them, and which we were not always able to leave to the leeward.

We found not more than a hundred natives living on this island in small houses crudely built of bamboo and thatch, erected, for the most part, directly on the ground, although some were elevated on posts, and grouped in little compounds surrounded by fences of coral stones.

Pointing to these primitive walls the chief told my interpreter that they were built for the purpose of keeping the pigs out of their compounds, but, so far as I could see, just as many pigs roamed inside the enclosures—and even the dwellings—as roamed outside.

A few banana trees and paw-paws gave shade and a touch of beauty to these primitive abodes, but there was no sign of agricultural development on the island.

"Where do you get your yams?" I asked the chief in Beche-la-mer. He pointed across the bay to where, a mile or two away, the jungles of Malekula swung a dense fringe of palms over the lapping waves.

Native Yams

Here the natives cultivated their yam gardens—their sole dependence for a living—and paddled to and from work in small, very crude dugout canoes. They also ate a few bananas, which they seemed to prefer half-ripe, and occasionally picked up clams and crustaceans on the beach.

Here, as in most sections of Malekula, the man with the most pigs is master of his village. He is elected chief or leader, perhaps because the people hope that by such flattery he may be encouraged to hold a feast.

From here we shaped our course for Atchin Island.

A little cowering native girl pushed herself along the floor away from us as we entered the mission. Her leg was swathed in bandages. Mrs. Stewart stopped her, smiling.

"This is Olela," she said to me, and the child's frightened look fell into bewilderment when I took her hand. She was almost stupefied with delight when I gave her a string of bright beads and a piece of printed calico.

Women—and Pigs!

"According to the custom of Malekula," Mrs. Stewart told me, "Olela was sold when she was three years of age. Her future husband paid one pig for her and not long ago, when she was twelve years old, he paid the balance of her purchase price, five pigs and some yams, for Olela is sturdy and comely and fetched a higher price than most girls. Her owner put



The minister of war of Malekula Island, New Hebrides. Note the white wekatoo feathers worn as a headdress.

her in his women's compound with his other wives, their children and his pigs, and expected her to make an excellent worker.

"Perhaps the large price paid for Olela provoked jealousy among her associates; at any rate their teasing, added to the dreadfulness of her lot, proved too much for a high-spirited girl, and she ran away. Of course, her husband found her, beat her cruelly, and returned her to her squalid compound, where her existence was made harder than ever. After a few months she watched her opportunity to escape again, and this time, when her husband found her, he not only beat her, but heated a rock the size of a coconut to white heat, put this under her

and bent her leg back over his shoulder, burning through tendons and flesh. You know they do this to a wife who runs away a second or a third time so that she cannot escape again," explained Mrs. Stewart.

"We heard of the search which was being made for Olela and went to rescue her, but we got there too late to save her being crippled. She can never walk again, but at least we may be able to heal her leg and she will not have to drag herself around always with a terrible running sore, as other Malekula women are doing."

In their fight against the barbarities which Malekula men practice upon their women the Stew-

arts have succeeded in breaking up one custom on Atchin Island and its vicinity—the killing of a man's widow at his death. Some of the natives have heeded the appeal of the missionaries not to kill the poor, helpless creatures, a plea which they, perhaps, fancied was backed by gunboats, but this reprieve has condemned the widows to a fate scarcely less terrible.

They are compelled to cover their persons with soot and ashes, make themselves appear as unattractive as possible, and never wash either their hair or bodies during the balance of their lives.

If the Stewarts were unsuccessful in making Christians of these Atchin islanders, they were able to help their bodily ills through medical treatment. The missionaries had learned the cures and partial cures of local complaints, and to them came suffering natives to be relieved of running sores, the chief affliction of the islanders.

The few missionaries who had ventured on Malekula have disappeared. Some were killed, and it is said—again. Some were driven away by fever. Not one made a convert. But they did some good in combatting the evil practices of traders and labor recruiters—known as "blackbirders."



Above, sacrifice stones on which human beings were formerly sacrificed in the sing-sing grounds of Malekula.

At left, woman of the New Hebrides returning from the yam gardens, on Atchin Island. The piece of calico she wears around her hips was put on at the request of the photographer, so that the picture would pass the censor.

At right, Malekula native carrying a big yam on his back.



At the time of our arrival Atchin, like all the little neighboring islands off the east coast of Malekula, had been making preparations for their yam harvest festival for a month, and we lost no time in making the acquaintance of natives who would pave the way for our visit to their sing-sing grounds, where the yam festivals are held just after the crop of yams has been harvested.

The Harvest of Yams

It was necessary to interest and accustom them to my cameras in order to obtain pictures of the forthcoming event.

Yams constitute the principal article of food of natives in this territory, and Malekula Islanders believe that this great crop has been given them by the Devil-Devil, and so they make thank-offerings in their sing-sing grounds to their gods and hold a carnival of dances and feasting. Since they believe that the Devil-Devil can only be gratified with a blood sacrifice, they now slay pigs in place of their slaves or captives, or one of their women, as in former times, because gunboats are likely to unpleasantly interrupt their banquet if human sacrifices are offered.

The Malekulan reasons that if the Devil-Devil was satisfied with a woman he would be equally satisfied with a pig, since a woman is worth no more than a pig.

Even on the Island of Malekula, there were at least half a dozen

sing-sing grounds, and they were distributed on all the other islands thereabouts.

The presence of a Christian mission on the island did not in any way interfere with carrying out the feast in the old accustomed way, except by substituting pigs for human beings on the sacrifice stones—rock slabs raised upon supporting stones and headed with an upright slab (like a rough tomb headstone), which served for a sacrificial altar or butcher's block, as one chooses to regard the rite.

Each day every family brought the largest and finest yam of the day's digging, lashed it on the end of a bamboo stick eight feet long, took it to the sing-sing ground in the center of the island, where a small piece of jungle was cleared, and stuck the end of the pole in the ground. They swept the sing-sing grounds clean every day. At one end of the grounds stood sections of tree trunks, about ten feet long, some erect, others leaning over, that had been hollowed out from a small slit not more than two or three inches wide. They were carved with huge grotesque faces and small bodies of men, and grinned and bulged weirdly like gnomes in the dim light of the jungles. Other similar posts lined the approaches to the dance grounds, but were not hollowed out. They were simply Devil-Devil totems, while the hollow logs were "Devil-Devils he sing out," by which method a Malekulan describes his

row of larger stakes, diminutive houses and little stone fences. The houses were intended to hold big boars, while pigs were to be tied to the stakes. Hundreds of pigs were tied back of the fence of the sing-sing, and scattered around the edge of the clearing were piles of rocks, where some of the headmen of the past had been buried.

Most conspicuous were the stalks of bamboo, hung with large yams, arranged in lines around new-chatched houses on stilts that held piles of smaller yams. A yam house stood in the center of all sing-sing grounds, and frenzied natives danced around it.

Atchin is only about five hundred acres in extent, with a population of over four hundred people, and its yam festival taxed its resources to the utmost.

Canoes began arriving, and all day long they paddled towards us, now in groups, again scattered singly over the water, others in fleets that landed a hundred visitors on the beach at a time.

Of all the savage dances I have ever seen that of the Little Nambus is the most ferocious and wild.

The festival began early in the morning, when a few women were allowed to take a small part in the beginning of the dance. All were grotesquely adorned for the occasion. A flower stuck in each side of their mop of hair is characteristic of the New Hebrides natives, but for this occasion men decked themselves with boughs of trees, strips of bark and flowers. Some wore enormous elephant-ear leaves and palm leaves bound to the sides of their head and towering above them.

Arranging our cameras so as to attract as little attention as possible, we photographed the women and children as they commenced to arrive. They were all dressed up in paint and ornaments. Most of them had painted bright red lines and scrolls on their faces and bodies. Some faces were painted with charcoal. What a shrinking, cowering lot of individuals they were! It was not from modesty, but timidity and habitual fear that they slunk to their places and squatted like whipped dogs around the edges of the grounds out of the way.

The Dance

The stage was set. With a wild war-hoop a hundred or more warriors, hideously painted and in their fantastic decorations, rushed in the opening at one end of the grounds and began to dance with various contortions of the body. In their first evolution they lined themselves along the boar houses and pig-stakes.

It was a savage spectacle to see these naked black figures prancing back and forth in the shadowy jungle in the simplest form of dance to the tune of growling tom toms and their howling, "Ao vo aho oah, yeeo aai yo yo O ceah!" which they chanted in only four or five notes of the scale.

A few women, brightly painted and decorated, danced after the

through apertures. The savages had become so intent on their religious rites that they paid not the slightest attention to our grinding cameras.

The sing-sing was so full of trees and surrounded by so dense a jungle that it was very difficult to get a good picture in the dim light, and I set off some flares. The dancers seemed not to notice the blinding glare of our flares nor the sudden gloom after they were extinguished.

Along towards afternoon the men had worked themselves up into a state of excitement. They grew more and more savage; the dance wilder and wilder as the afternoon waned. They raced in at one end of the grounds and raced across to the other, beating drums in rhythm and fiercely oblivious to their surroundings.

Towards evening the dancers carried torches, accentuating the weirdness of the barbaric scene. They had wrought themselves into a demonic frenzy. Forward and back rushed the grotesque columns to the drumming of the tom toms.

Bringing In the Pigs

Then came the main ceremonial—bringing in the pigs. Men from other islands formed themselves in groups, each with a pig. Many gripped a club in one hand and a pig in the other. Some dragged two, others even three on a string. Here and there struggled men carrying a large boar in their arms, its formidable-looking tusks adding savagery to the scene. These groups rushed the grounds in turn, uttering the wildest yelling and screaming, bringing the sacrificial pigs to the men who placed themselves to receive them, and delivered the writhing, squealing offerings by no means gently, but as barbarians in the highest pitch of excitement.

Sacrifice bearers carried the animals by a foot, an ear or a tail, swinging them about their heads, ferociously clubbing each other with the poor beats, and then throwing them with full force at the feet of the men in the receiving line. This cruel spectacle continued for hours, until hundreds of pigs filled the grounds. Then, in the early hours of dawn, the horrors of sacrifice began. A hundred pigs at a time were killed by stabbing them in the heart or throat. The sing-sing grounds ran with blood.

Cooking pits were filled with victims of the sacrifices, covered with yams and fruit, and in the morning exhausted natives sat and gorged their fill.

The orgy at Atchin Island lasted two days. On the second day the dancers became so savage that I decided we would be safer on the ship, and about seven o'clock, when it began to grow dark, we slipped cautiously away, unnoticed by the frenzied natives, and went back to the Wisdom. I wouldn't have dared attempt to take a picture while they were so ferocious and wild.

A Picture at Night

At two o'clock on a night of such a festival at a neighboring sing-sing I awakened and heard the tom toms still throbbing weirdly through the night. It occurred to me that a fine night picture could be made by using flares. I knew that by three o'clock in the night the greater part of the dancers were in their villages sleeping the sleep of exhaustion, and that the remainder would probably be too engrossed and too wearied from dancing all day and most of the night to make demonstrations against us if we made pictures.

So I took ten men, each with a large acetylene flare, and told them that when the moment arrived for taking a picture I would give a signal by blowing on a boatswain's whistle, and all the flares would be lighted simultaneously and the picture taken.

It was pitch dark when we started, and we groped our way with difficulty and many false turns in the jungle to the grounds. We did not reach there until three o'clock.

A few fires still burned in the sing-sing ground, and some twenty savages danced mechanically back and forth.

I sought the chief, and in Beche-la-mer explained to him my purpose, and that when the flares were lighted the dancers were not to be frightened.

The chief explained my message to the men. The warriors resumed their dance. I gave the signal. Bright shone the flares. The cameras ground out reels. Not a man was in the sing-sing. At the first flash every one had fled to the woods. It took an hour to get them sufficiently over their fright to come back. None of them was hurt; that was reassuring.

They were shown the mechanism of the flares and encouraged to handle them. Timidly they did so. This seemed to calm their fears. They went back to dancing.

I explained that I would take a picture with one flare and then with all the flares. The men danced without pause through the single flare. Then I lighted them. They danced on. I got the picture. It was four o'clock.

If the yam festivals which took place, in rotation, in the sing-sing grounds distributed over Malekula Island were any more ferocious than the ones I witnessed in Rano and Atchin, I doubt if any picture could have been made of the ceremony.



drums, or tom toms. Drummers men. Some carried babes on their heat on the hollow logs with their less energy and produced the rhythmic sounds to which the natives danced.

The Festival

All the totems were freshly painted and streamers of bark were hung to flutter overhead. Hundreds of small stakes had been driven around the edge of the grounds, and on one side was a

ators outside the grounds, working

BLAIR, DANDO AND PRICE WINNERS IN MONDAY NIGHT'S BOXING BOUTS

THE WINNERS
 "Big" Blair won decision over Kid Lucky at Dayton.
 Shifty Dando won decision over Frankie Bob at Dayton.
 K. O. Wegal of Dayton won decision over "Butch" White.

Doc Price won decision over Bob Hamstead at Dayton.
 A boxing show that came up to all expectations as far as real boxing was concerned was presented by the River City Athletic Club in Millbrook park three of the Portsmouth lads winning proved a big one for the local fighters.

Three of the Portsmouth lads winning over Dayton boys, while one from City fighter took home a victory.

Blair and Dando in the main events won on decisions and Doc Price in the curtain raiser won on decision. They were all decision bouts, each one ending the limit, much to the surprise of the bugs.

Blair and Kid Lucky put a hard fight and neither was able to carry the fight out. Blair showed old time form in rushing in and carrying the fight to his opponent but he finally lacked the old wallop, the knockout kick that his fists used to carry.

A number of times he rained blows on Lucky but they did not carry power. He showed he could stand plenty of punishment and he took all Blair landed and then handed some in return.

Blair Takes Lead
 In the first round, Blair started the leading at once with Lucky showing a readiness to mix it up when the Portsmouth fighter started. The second round was a real give and take affair with both landing a number of blows.

Blair landed more often in the first half of the round but the last half was about even. The third round fought with plenty of action but no sparring match and was followed by a round of action with Blair continuing to lead. Lucky stepped in and exchanged blows every time Blair would start after him.

In the sixth Blair started from the top of the bell and sailed into Lucky with a whirlwind. There was plenty of close fighting, slugging with fists and elbows and a number of misses. Lucky also landed a number of punches but Blair had them outnumbered two to one.

In the seventh Blair landed four times as many blows as Lucky but was not of the "hitting" variety and only served to arouse the fans to action who then rallied for Blair to fear in with more power. In the eighth Blair sailed to his point by punching and jabbing Lucky with the Dayton product not mixing as much as in the

early rounds. Just as the bell sounded he started to show some action but it was too late. The ninth did not show either fighter weakening and it was a blow-for-blow affair. The tenth did not find either fighter trying to score a knockout judging from the blows struck.

The crowd yelled its approval of Dando when the fans saw him come from the dressing room. It was thought that he would not be on the card last night but later in the day he recovered sufficiently from his illness to get into his ring togs.

His opponent was Frankie Bob a Dayton lad who showed he is made of real stuff. True he stayed the entire ten rounds with Shifty and that is something in his credit.

Although Shifty won it was no walkover and he knew he had been up against another boy who is no stranger with the gloves. Dando had it all over Bob in the matter of weight. Dando with his rapidly changing ring positions and dancing tactics had his opponent worried all through the ten rounds but that worry did not wear the visiting fighter down to the point where Dando could not hit him away.

Bob also showed he could take all Dando had and hand back some at the same time.

The first round was the usual feeling out process with both lads moving about the ring and waiting for the other to start something. Only a couple of blows were struck and in the second round Dando did not know what he was up against and was not taking any chances on tearing in like he usually does.

The third brought the first real action. Dando started for Bob as soon as he left his chair. He tore into him like a tiger but the storm was soon over for Bob still retained his upright posture and was in a position to mix it up if he wanted to.

Dando landed several hard blows to the head but Bob shook them off and came right back. In the fourth both lads slowed down and took it easy. In the fifth there was real action with Dando getting his man to the ropes.

Dando seemed to wear out but he had Bob up against the ropes before he would start for him. The sixth was tame again with little mixing while in the seventh and eighth Dando acted like he wanted to finish it for he rained a number of blows to Bob's head. Dando just naturally rained gloves on his opponent.

In the ninth Dando kept on leading and made his opponent mix it up. Bob was ready to mix when Shifty started but did not take the lead himself at any time.

In the eighth round semi-final "Butch" White of this man's town hooked up with K. O. Wegal of Dayton. White took on a man of considerable experience in the Dayton product and he realized it a plenty before the eighth round rolled around.

White caught one on the point of the chin a few seconds after the bout started and went down for the count of nine. In the second and third he hit the floor again but came back each time and thereafter was careful to protect his chin. He stood upright and his gloves covered his chin and allowed Wegal to pound his head and face but when Wegal tired of this White would smile at him and start after his opponent. Wegal showed his experience by keeping clear of White and easily won on points, although White deserves a good deal of credit for sticking it out.

In the opener Doc Price clashed with Bob Hammond. The boys mixed freely and tore in several times with mighty swings that did not hit the target. In the last round Price landed three times as many blows as Hammond and it looked for a while like he would put him away but the visitor hung on and was there when the final bell tapped. He knew he was beaten and left the ring before the decision was announced.

With The Pugs

TOLEDO—Joe Packo, Toledo, won a shade over Tommy Burns of Detroit in 12 rounds.

PAINESVILLE, O.—Lou Palmer, Columbus, won decision over Jack Dalton, Cleveland, in 10 rounds.

PHILADELPHIA—Nate Goldmann out-pointed Bobby Barrett, Philadelphia lightweight, in an eight round bout.

FIRPO STOPS WEINERT IN SECOND ROUND

PHILADELPHIA, PA., August 14.—Luis Angel Firpo, contender for Jack Dempsey's heavyweight title, who last night knocked out Charley Weinert, of Newark, N. J., in the second round, will leave tonight for Indianapolis for his fight with Joe Downey. He plans to return to New York in time to meet his new trainer.

Horatio Lavalie, who will arrive from Buenos Aires, August 18. Weinert was outclassed by the South American last night. From the opening gong when, with a leap, Firpo rushed to the center of the ring, the fight was his. Despite many wild swings and the fact that Weinert landed one or two good ones to the

midriff the round was easily the Argentinean's. The first minute of the second round the artillery was put in action. Weinert aroused the sluggish South American with a hard jab to the kidneys. From then on Firpo was plunging and swinging all over the

ring. Forcing the New Jersey boy to the ropes, Firpo floored him with a right to the left ear. Weinert arose shakily to his feet only to take more rights to the head. After several seconds of this Weinert collapsed to the floor and was unable to rise, being helped to his feet by his seconds and by Firpo.



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"Where the Pavement Ends" is different from anything Mr. Ingram has ever done, but it bears that stamp of real genius which characterized "The Four Horsemen," "The Prisoner of Zenda" and "Trifling Women."

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It is a tale of how love came into the life of the daughter of a South Seas missionary. What better setting for a tale of romance than the far away islands of the Southern Pacific. Here is romance in its essence—the clean, white beaches leaping in the brilliant sun, the tall waving palms against a glowing sunset, the soothing breezes of a moonlit night. And all this strange, exotic atmosphere of luxuriant nature and heart-flitting romance is transferred to the screen with amazing reality.

Little wonder that Matilda dreamed of love, and little wonder that love came to her in so strange a way. But the path of love for her was not smooth. There was Gregson, the villainous trader, and enemy of the man she loved. He was the richest man on the island and her father wanted her to marry him. And Gregson wanted her. The conflict between the man who symbolized love and the man who represented passion brings the story to a thrilling and satisfying climax.

Beautiful Alice Terry portrays the part of the missionary's daughter with remarkable skill. Ramon Novarro plays opposite her with magnificent power and appeal. Edward Connolly, as the missionary, and Harry T. Morey, as Gregson, display rare ability.

The film version was made by Rex Ingram from the story by John Russell. The extraordinary fine photography of John F. Seltz enhances the appeal of this beautiful photoplay.—Advertisement.

Tennis News

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 14—Only one match in semi-finals remained on the program for decision when play was resumed this afternoon in the tri-state tennis tournament. R. H. Holden, Sr., former western champion, and Otto Crussling were pitted against Kubler and Cordes, the winners, to qualify for the finals, which are to be played Saturday afternoon. Both are local teams.

Klan To Initiate In Millbrook Park
 Ku Klux Klan members will gather at Millbrook Park this evening at 7:30 to hold a public meeting. They expect to obligate 100 candidates.

Rev. O. H. Gast, former pastor of the Grandview Avenue Church of Christ, will be the speaker of the evening.

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PLAN FOR FALL BIBLE SCHOOL

School, City and County-wide Evangelism was the big topic of the Teachers and Workers Congress of the First Christian Bible School last evening when they gathered at the church to plan for the fall work of the Bible school.

One Sunday of each month will be emphasized as evangelism day and a special fitting program will be had for that day.

Another meeting was planned for next Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook, near Sciotoville, and an invitation is extended to all workers from Grandview Avenue Christian Bible school, New Boston Christian and Sciotoville Christian to meet with the workers from the First Christian and to cooperate in the plan. The invitation was also made broad

enough to cover all the schools of the city who wish to get in on the work of evangelism as planned for First Christian, and other schools are invited to send representatives.

The folks are invited to go to the meeting place as early after supper as possible, as there is plenty of room for games, and a big welcome from Charles Cook and family awaiting all who can go.

It also leaked out that Attorney B. F. Kimble had accepted an invitation to be present and teach the adult department August 26. This ought to be a great day for the men's class as it is a challenge to the rest of the department to have on that day just double the number of folks present as on the day of Mr. Kimble's last visit to the school. The men say they will make good.

DESIGNER H. A. LLOYD TO GET A DIAMOND RING FROM FIRM

H. A. Lloyd, designer at the Portsmouth store of The United Woolen Mills Co., will receive a diamond ring on Labor Day, September 3rd, from President W. A. Hersch as a reward for five years' continuous service with the company.

The presentation will occur at Paden City Park, W. Va., where the twenty-first annual outing of the employees of The

United Woolen Mills Co., will be held. They are to meet at Parkersburg, W. Va., and go by special train to Paden City Park where a program will be carried out in keeping with the custom that has been followed for the past twenty-one years.

Eleven employees will receive diamond rings this Labor Day, making a total of 230 diamonds that have been presented in the history of the company.

K. OF C. MAKE NOMINATIONS

The following candidates for office were nominated at a well attended meeting of Portsmouth Council 741, Knights of Columbus, last night:

For Grand Knight—J. W. Russell, Dan Flannigan and George O. Lauder.

Deputy Grand Knight—E. A. Whitmer and A. J. Gerlach.

Financial Secretary—E. E. Petry, Recorder—Richard A. Haag and Denis Bartus.

Treasurer—J. W. Snyder, Leo Sommer and Lawrence Von Lubrie.

Chancellor—B. J. Craban and W. J. Burke.

Advocate—P. W. Kilcorne and E. Von Lubrie.

Warden—Thomas Mantel, W. J. Scott and Paul Dadosky.

Inside Guard—G. W. Haag, George W. Bandy and George Malone.

Outside Guard—Lee Friel, W. Walters and Matt Holzman.

Trustee—L. J. Wagner and J. J. Rothenbacher.

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Tut Wins One
 NUNCIE, Ind., Aug. 14—"Tut" Jackson, colored heavyweight of Washington C. H., Ohio, knocked out Young Peter Jackson, colored of Detroit in the fourth round of a scheduled 10 round bout here last night.

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NATIONAL

MEADOWS BEATS PIRATES
 BROOKLYN, Aug. 14.—Meadows did not allow a hit Monday until he batted safely in the 7th inning and Pittsburgh won the third and last game of the series, 5 to 2. Brooklyn won the first two games yesterday.

AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Meadows lf	4	0	2	3	0
McCarren 3b	3	0	1	0	0
Barahart rf	4	0	1	1	0
Traynor 2b	5	1	1	2	0
Barahart rf	4	0	1	2	0
Marshall ss	2	1	0	3	4
Grimm 1b	4	1	3	13	0
Schmidt c	4	1	2	3	1
Meadows p	4	0	0	0	0

Totals 33 5 9 27 14 1

AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Traynor 2b	4	1	2	4	0
Traynor 2b	4	0	1	7	4
T. Griffith rf	2	0	0	2	0
Fournier 1b	3	0	0	6	0
B. Griffith lf	4	0	0	1	0
Deberry c	2	0	0	1	4
McCarren 3b	2	0	0	2	5
Olson 3b	0	0	0	0	0
Berg ss	2	0	0	3	3
French ss	2	0	0	1	0
Smith p	0	0	0	0	0
Dexter p	1	0	0	0	0
Taylor xx	1	1	0	0	0
Kuecher xxx	1	0	0	0	0

Totals 29 2 4 27 18 1

x—Batted for McCarren in eighth.
 xx—Batted for Berg in eighth.
 xxx—Batted for Smith in eighth.

Score by Innings:
 Pittsburgh 120 100 010—5
 Brooklyn 000 000 110—2

Two base hits—Grimm, Barahart, Taylor.
 Three base hit—Bailey.

AMERICAN

SENATORS AND SOX SPLIT
 WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Washington and Chicago divided a double header Monday, Senators winning the opener, 5 to 4, while Chicago took the second game, 3 to 2. Rice's heavy hitting gave Washington the edge in the first game. Sheely's home run in the eighth inning of the second contest with Mostil on base settled the issue, Washington falling one run short in a ninth inning rally. Score—First game:

AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hooper rf	3	0	0	1	1
Mostil 3b	4	2	2	2	3
Collins 2b	3	1	0	2	1
Sheely 1b	4	0	2	6	0
Falk lf	3	0	1	1	0
Flaherty c	3	0	1	4	0
McMillan ss	4	0	0	3	2
Schalk c	3	0	0	3	0
T. Mantel p	3	1	0	1	0

Totals 30 4 7 23 8 0

x—One out when winning run was scored.

WASHINGTON AB R H PO A E
 Lohdolf cf 3 0 1 3 0 0
 Bush 3b 3 1 0 1 1 1
 Goslin lf 4 0 0 3 0 0
 Rice rf 3 2 3 3 0 0
 Ruel c 2 1 1 2 1 0
 Judge 1b 4 0 0 2 4 0
 Peckinpaugh ss 3 0 0 2 4 0
 Zachary p 3 0 1 1 1 0

Totals 28 5 7 27 13 1

Score by Innings:
 Cleveland 000 001 020—3
 Philadelphia 331 020 14x—12

Two base hits—Perkins, Galloway, Miller 2, Connolly 2.
 Home run—Hauser.

Score by Innings:
 Chicago 200 010 010—8
 Philadelphia 110 000 040—9

Two base hits—Jameson 2.
 Home runs—Speaker, Sewell.

Score by Innings:
 Chicago 102 500 000—8
 Philadelphia 110 000 040—9

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Jameson lf	5	3	4	1	0
Summa rf	4	1	1	2	0
Speaker cf	4	2	2	4	0
Sewell ss	4	1	2	0	0
Stephenson 2b	5	0	0	6	2
Lutcke 3b	4	0	1	6	1
Brower 1b	4	1	1	6	1
Myatt c	3	0	0	4	1
Edwards p	3	0	0	1	1
Morton p	0	0	0	0	1

Totals 36 8 11 27 10 3

AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McGowan cf	3	2	1	2	0
Galloway ss	3	1	3	2	0
Hale 3b	5	1	2	1	1
Hauser 1b	4	0	1	5	0
Miller lf	4	1	1	5	0
Welch rf	4	0	2	6	0
Scheer 2b	3	1	2	1	2
Perkins c	4	0	0	4	0
Harris p	1	0	1	0	0
Wolff p	2	0	0	1	0
Brugby x	1	0	0	0	0

Totals 34 6 11 27 0 0

x—Batted for Wolff in ninth.

Score by Innings:
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THE CENTER OF THE WORLD

TWO writers for the magazines, Oswald Garrison Villard and Charles M. Peck, have fallen to wrangling over the merits of the Boston press. What they say is interesting more in the way they say it than in the subject treated. It strikes one though that Peck has the better of the argument. Villard has said that the Boston dailies are "provincial," a horrible restriction and crime to him who can dispose of the mightiest of earth's problems with a jaunty swing of his pencil. Peck counters that Boston is a peculiar city, justifying its name of the Hub, in the fact that it is immediately surrounded by many small cities, everyone of which has a separate legal intinity and is also separate in its social and community life. So the papers retain reporters for these cities, become the local paper and report all the incidents of life in them. In consequence their columns are laden with names, names and more names. This personal touch binds the subscribers to their papers with the outcome that they are widely read at home, have the confidence of readers and advertising in Boston papers pays better than in any other big city. Boston papers pay both the publisher and the advertiser and their readers are satisfied with them. That is about all the standard required.

Peck and Villard are apart, at untraversable distance from each other, because they are starting on different levels and going opposite directions. Villard creates an ideal standard, he is trying to superimpose something that doesn't exist and never will. Peck regards only the normal and the usual. Villard would have news in a daily paper only an incident, he would have it devoting all its columns to morals—though let us hope not some of the sort he projects—literature, art science and culture, with generous splashes of berating and fault finding of persons, issues, conditions and everything else. Peck's view is that a newspaper doesn't profess to sell anything else other news and space for publicity. If any opinion it has to express, it should be sincere and fair, it should conduct its business honestly and beyond that it should print the news fairly and accurately. The more news it prints of home the better newspaper it is, for a small item about home has more interest to the home readers, the main body of any daily's clientele, than a more important item from abroad.

The Times has endeavored in its career to conduct on the standard set out by Peck. It has an extensive telegraphic service and prints the important news of the world, most of that occurring in the country that is important and some because it is merely interesting and it has many good features, but its first concern is about home. It makes diligent effort to get hold of every local happening, it is always eager to print things about people provided it be not unpleasant. The dailies that are regarded as best in Ohio, follow the same purpose. They are the ones that have the biggest circulation, they are the ones who have the staunchest friends. Even in the days when it had rivals The Times was notable for having a home circulation that few papers in the country could approach, in proportion to population. Now it is incomparable in that respect.

The place in which a people live is the center of the world to them, it should be the center of a newspaper published among them. When ever a newspaper loses that thought it has lost itself.

A HORRIBLE CARNAGE

ONE can not pick up a Monday paper, nowadays, without a shudder. It is a chronicle of death and catastrophe by automobile. All sorts of mishaps, collisions, runnings off of roads, running down by trains, are set forth.

Few of these accidents are essentially such, they are almost solely the outcome of carelessness, or recklessness, on the part of some driver.

Drivers should ever bear in mind that an automobile is a deadly instrument, yes, deadly no matter how pleasurable and exhilarating its occupancy may be. It is instantly responsive to a prodigious power. Control of that power must always be kept in hand, yes, more than that it must ever be in hand with the thought as to its effect upon others. The fellow who goes thundering along the highway may feel perfectly safe and may be to all intents and purpose, but he can never reckon what effect his speed may have on some one else, or what disaster may lurk by the roadside.

There isn't skill to be shown, nor any admiration to be won by thrilling handling of the machine. The driver we think most of as such is one we took quite a long tour with. His car was almost fatally fast, but he never showed her real speed, if the road was rough he slowed down so as not to rack his car,

as he approached a railroad crossing, he was merely creeping and-if a train had appeared as he was ten feet from the track he could have stopped out of peril. That driver was one of the four first boys to go across, from Scioto county, he saw service in France as long as the war went on, he laid in sudden trenches, he saw shells explode about him, leaving on fragments of his comrades, he went over the top. He isn't afraid of an automobile, he is prudent with it.

New York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTIRE

NEW YORK, August 14.—When a bolt of lightning killed Bert Savoy, the gayest of female impersonators, at Long Beach some weeks ago, an unusual vaudeville team went out of existence. Savoy and his partner, Jay Brennan, under the team name of Savoy and Brennan, had been convulsing New York for years with low comedy.

It was the first time I had ever seen Broadway so affected by death. When the news came it was as though the same electric bolt that killed Savoy had stunned the street. As one New York paper expressed it: "Broadway heard and went home early to bed."

Savoy was not a great actor. He was coarse and more often vulgar. His patter was banal run-of-the-mill. He burlesqued the hard-boiled burlesque girl and popularized such expressions as "You must come over!" and "You don't know the half of it, dearie." It was jovial commonness. But he was the White Way's official merryandrew. He loved to make people laugh and when he was not on the stage doing his stuff, he was going the rounds of the cafes pulling his rather salacious implications. Life to him and his partner was an uproarious laugh.

He told me once with rather pathetic melancholy that he had no friends. "Nobody likes a female impersonator," he added. There was a strong attachment between him and Brennan. Several weeks before the tragedy each planned to take out a \$50,000 insurance policy in favor of the other, but neglected the matter.

They had a contract binding them together for life. Once, when I was dramatic editor of a New York paper, Brennan asked me to write something about Bert. "Don't mention me," he said. And two blocks away near the Claridge I met Savoy, who said: "Whatever you write, give Jay the best of it."

I am prompted to chronicle this because of something that came under my notice last night. Near the Hippodrome I happened to meet Jay Brennan. His hair from a sleek black is now tinged with white. He has aged many years. It is difficult to think of harlequins of such an audacious mould being touched by grief.

In one of the Fifth Avenue clubs they were discussing a gay scandal that had touched one of the members. Said one: "People are at times de-

ceived by appearances. One of the most immoral appearing things in the world is a New York yellow taxi cab driving in Connecticut at midnight. Yet I know a preacher who was forced to ride in one one night on account of a train wreck."

Tin Pan Alley after a reign of senseless "nut" songs is now preparing sentimental ditties for the fall campaign. I fear the ironic touch has spoiled the lure of the weepy old tunes that used to be immortalized by the "boy sopranos" and "greatest baritone" of the strutting minstrels. I never hear the gushing sentimental ditty without thinking of that classic of a few years ago running: Then to him these proud words this girl did say: Farewell, villain, go your way, For I can no longer stay; Though you may be a marquis or a earl You may tempt the upper classes With your villainous de-mi-tasses But Heaven Will Protect the Working Girl.

Speaking of songs America's youngest song writer, Betty Gulick, aged 10, of Brooklyn, has received \$10,000 royalties this year from a song whose lyric was about a mother singing her child to sleep. Her father is Powell Gulick, head of a news photo bureau. (Copyright 1923, By The McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

Doc Kokos' KOLUM

Builders

To each is given a bag of tools, A shapeless mass and a book of rules, And each must make, ere life is flown, A stumbling block of a stepping stone.

Isn't it strange that Princes and Kings, And clowns that caper in sawdust, And common folks like you and me, Are Builders for Eternity?

That Would Be Terrible

Struggling Futurist—Yes, I am wedded to my art. Facious Friend—Well, don't get a divorce, old man; they might give you the custody of the pictures. Boston Transcript.

Matched

Mistress—It is only fair to warn you, Bridget, that my husband swears a little sometimes. New Cook—That's all right, mum. Sure, I do meself.—Boston Transcript.

Had Spent Enough

Mike—Why don't you buy your Yankee wife an automobile? This wife of yours is nagging my wife all the time about the dandy car you are going to buy her. Well, Pat, didn't I give her a ring? Yis. Didn't I give her a ring? Yis. Didn't I give her a honeymoon? Yis. Didn't I buy her a set of false teeth. Yis. Didn't I buy her an artificial limb. Yis. Didn't I buy her a Tut-Tut dress? Yis. Didn't I buy her a teddy bear? Yis. What the devil more does she want to be contented and happy?

Natural Inferences

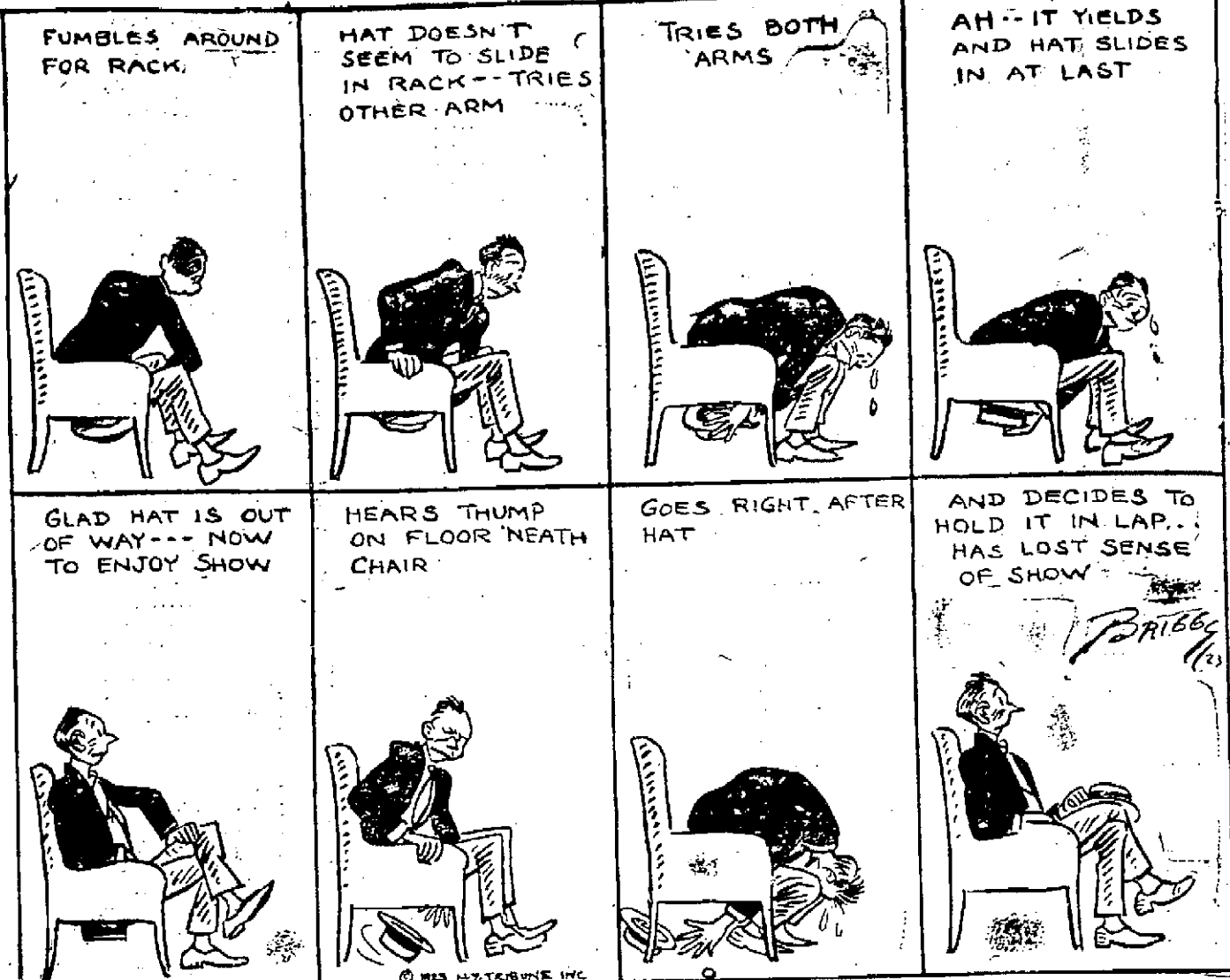
Butcher—"My son—the one that used to help me in the shop here—he's gone in for boxing. Won a championship, too!" Customer—"Ay, I remember him. I suppose he'll have won the lightweight championship?"—The London Mail.

Elbe Martin



"I believe the sound, substantial people of this country 'll continue you dry as long as they kin git it," says Squire Marsh Swallow. Some folks could give till it hurts without breaking a quarter.

MOVIE OF A MAN PUTTING HAT UNDER THEATER SEAT—BY BRIGGS



Henpeck's Wireless Set

City Man—Have you a wireless set in your home? Henpeck—Well, we have a broadcaster and a receiver. Henrietta does the broadcasting and I do the receiving.—London Answers.

The Doubtful Year

"This chicken was raised in the spring of the year." "Absolutely, madam—in the spring of the year." "I can't say I doubt the spring—but have you any record of the year?"

Grand Row

The couple were married and traveled to the lakes for their honeymoon. As soon as they arrived they took a boat out upon the lake. The following morning the bride's mother got a postcard, which read: "Arrived safely. Grand row before supper." "My," she muttered, "I didn't think they'd begin quarrelling so soon!"—The Watchman-Examiner.

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

A Vacation Litany

FROM places where they dress in Paris fashion gar, Where rates are never less Than twenty bones a day, With tips we have to pay, Which gives us feelings shiverous, From grafts that make us gray, Good Lord, deliver us!
FROM jazz by day and night, From hotel concerts, too, From ladies whose delight Is bridge the whole day through, From smart young folks who do Strange dances quiverous And never more a shoe; Good Lord, deliver us!
FROM Private Links (six holes), Three bucks, or more, a round, Where every ball that rolls Is lost and never found, From porches which abound In gossip-bounds carolous, Where tongues with scandal sound; Good Lord, deliver us!
FROM front and stall and bluff With which hotel men flatter us, From all that "high class" stuff, Good Lord, deliver us!

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Night Noises

"Here," said the salesman, "is a pair of pajamas you'll never wear out." "Er—yes, they are rather loud for street wear, aren't they?"—New York Sun.

Camping Note

I like cheerfulness. I admire any one who sings at his work. "How you must love a mosquito."—Boston Transcript.

Which Helps Some

Whenever we have a run-in with a traffic cop, I let my wife do the talking. "Does that do any good?" "Not a bit except to convince her that she can't win every argument she gets into."—Wisconsin Good Roads.

Its Mission

"What's this Uncle?" "That's a Zebra." "What does it do?" "Well, er—it's principally used to illustrate the letter Z."—The London Mail.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



TROT CAPPER, WHO RECENTLY LOST HIS CIVIL WAR FALSE TEETH, WASN'T ABLE TO GET ANY FURTHER THAN THE BREAD AND MILK COURSE AT THE LAWN SUPPER LAST EVE

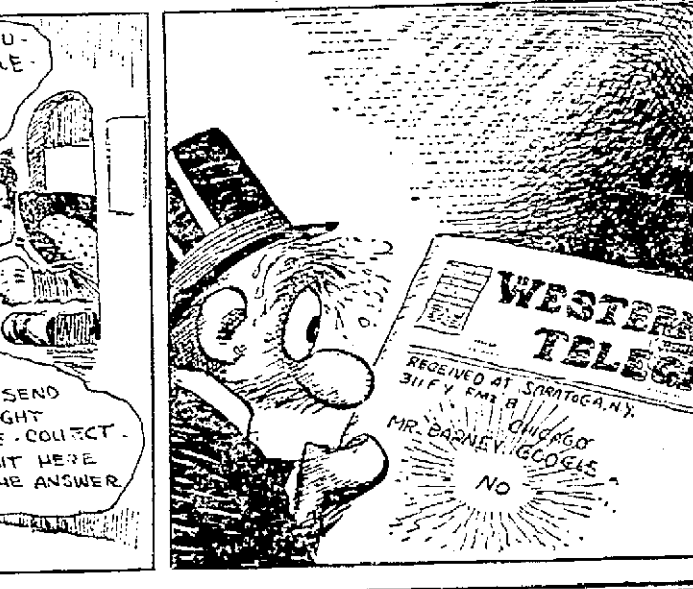
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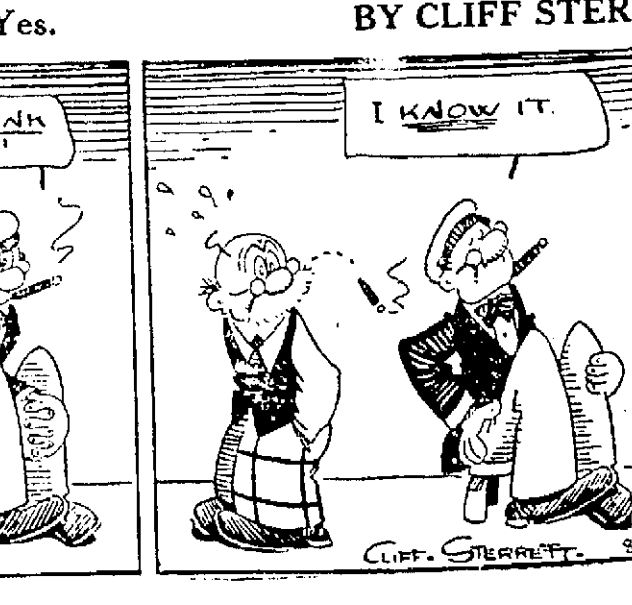
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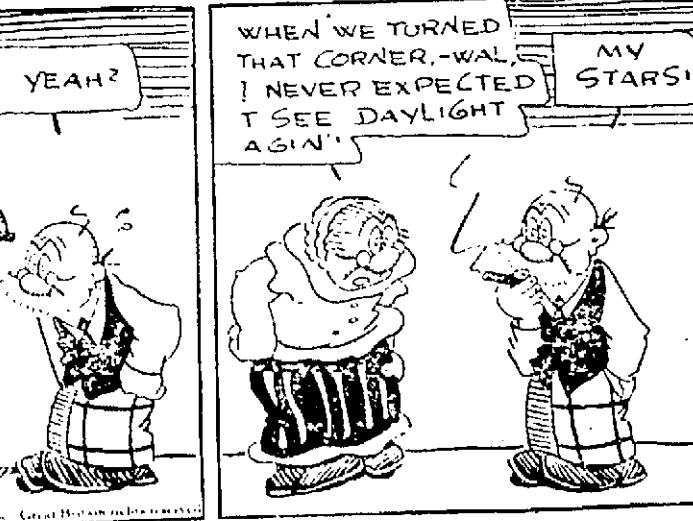
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POLLY AND HER PALS



Actions Speak Louder Than Words, Oh, My, Yes.



I TELL THE TRUTH



I KNOW IT

